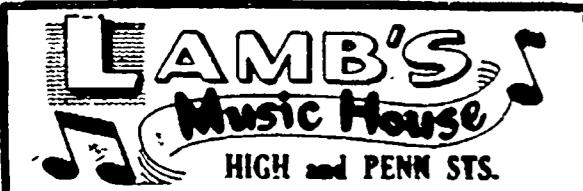


# Reds Agree to Allies Proposal for Handling of Prisoners

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## Police Drop Charges In Office of Burgess

Charges of disorderly conduct and resisting arrest, lodged against a Pottstown man this past Friday, were withdrawn yesterday afternoon in the office of Burgess William A. Griffith.

George M. Heck, 501 West street, a steel structure worker and motorcycle racer, and Patrolman Sandy Laghi, buried the hatchet before Griffith and Chief James A. Laughhead, a reliable source reported last night.

The two allegedly were involved in a fracas in front of motorcycle store of Milton P. Wensel, 434 High street at 9 o'clock Friday night.

Laghi allegedly hit Heck in the head with a blackjack. The

## SCHOOL BOARD APPROVES PLAN FOR TRANSFERS

Limerick Pupils Get Okay To Attend Any School In Area

Limerick township secondary pupils scheduled to attend Pottstown school district in 1953-54 may transfer to any other secondary district.

Directors last night approved this plan in view of the announcement by Pottstown district that no pupils will be accepted in the Junior High school after 1953-1954.

The Junior High will be closed to Limerick pupils as of September 1954 it was reported earlier this week.

Thirty-five Limerick Sixth grade pupils, who will be entering Junior high school next year, selected Pottstown school district. Another 35 elected to go to Royersford.

THE BOARD made its latest move because pupils who might enroll in Pottstown Junior high for the next school term would have to transfer after 1 year in the borough school because of the new policy.

Although pupils can transfer to any other district, transportation will be provided only to Royersford. Transportation will continue for those who choose to remain in Pottstown.

Frank Rumler, Limerick board president, contended it would not be "good" for pupils to enter Pottstown Junior High for one year and then transfer to a smaller district.

He reported, "I have nothing against Pottstown district. I have no fault to find with the district. I'm thinking of the pupils, the future of our children. This is the most important matter when we consider any school problems."

THE BOARD RE-ELECTED J. Edward Wood Sr. secretary for a

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## Canvass to Be Made By Volunteers for Memorial Park Fund

Volunteer workers will make a house-to-house canvass Monday night beginning at 5 o'clock in an effort to raise \$10,000 for the maintenance and repair of Pottstown Memorial park.

In addition to the house-to-house canvass, some 7000 letters have been sent out to various industries and service clubs, William F. Lamb, co-chairman of the campaign, reported last night.

"Our aim is to collect at least one dollar from everyone our workers contact," he said. "After all the dividend of happiness will go to the giver."

Charles Rowland pointed out that all who contribute to the annual fund drive will become

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## THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Today and tomorrow, partly cloudy and rather warm.

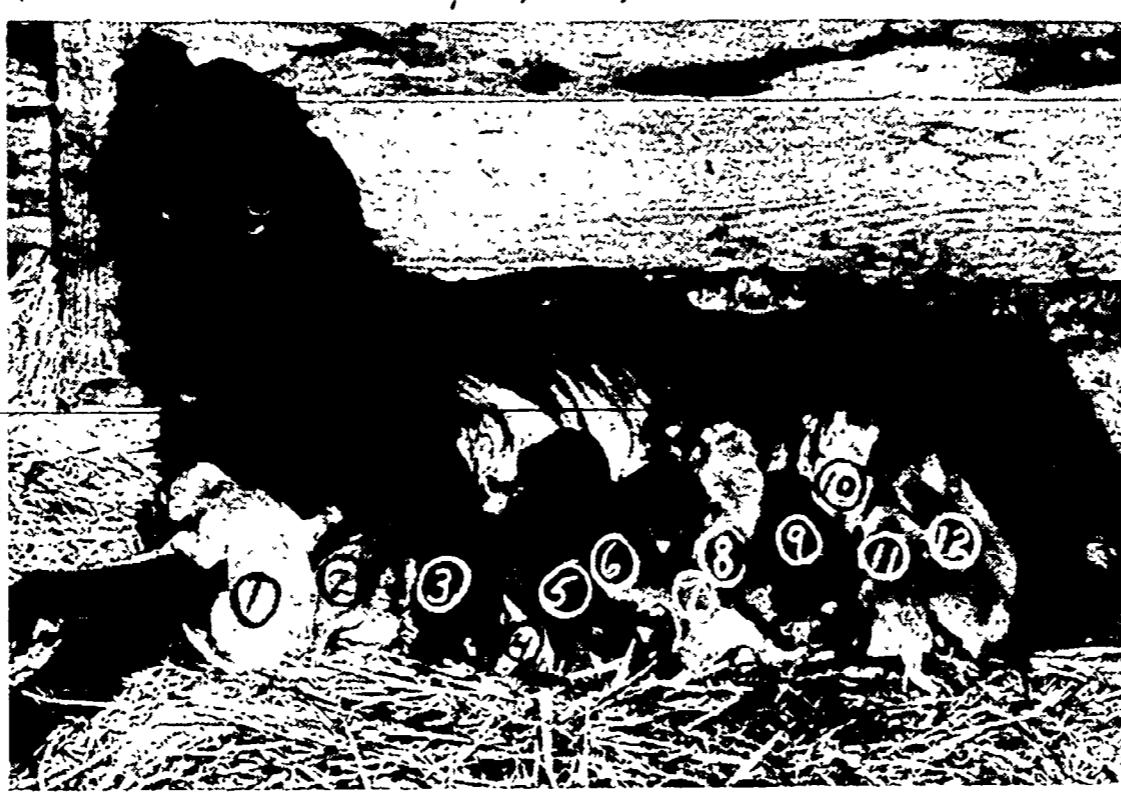
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TEMPERATURE EXTREMES  
Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

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2 a. m. ....	59	5 p. m. ....	74
3 a. m. ....	60	6 p. m. ....	74
4 a. m. ....	60	7 p. m. ....	72
5 a. m. ....	61	8 p. m. ....	71
6 a. m. ....	63	9 p. m. ....	65
7 a. m. ....	66	10 p. m. ....	65
8 a. m. ....	68	11 p. m. ....	65
9 a. m. ....	72	12 a. m. ....	65
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12 p. m. ....	73	3 a. m. ....	65

THE COUPLE, since the start of World War II, has now gone through the scene six times.

## You'd Be Tired, too, If You Had 12



—Mercury Staff Photo

Looking somewhat exhausted after her trying experience, Lady, a pedigree Irish Setter, rests comfortably as she nurses her litter of 12 pups—count them. Owner Donald Moatz, of Boyertown RD 1 said the pups were born between 9 and 10 o'clock Monday morning. There are nine red and three black pups in the litter; none of which is pedigree. Moatz hasn't decided what to do with the young dogs, but he said he'll think of something. As for Lady, last reports indicate she's doing fine. As for the pups, they're busy scrambling for their meal.

## OBSERVANCE SET IN YOUTH CENTER

## Board Erases New Charges That Teacher Hit Girl Pupil

### Director Talks of Growth After Nine Years Of Service

By FRED C. SELBY  
(Mercury Staff Writer)

Nine years of service to young people will be rounded out by the Pottstown Youth center on Saturday.

The anniversary will be the signal for a week-long series of programs at the center's headquarters.

Several guest artists, musicians and musical groups will entertain each night.

The local venture in youth work, founded by a local industrial executive who is now its full-time director, has grown with the years and the need it supplies.

From a small start as a group holding meetings at First Baptist church, the center has expanded into a modern building of its own on Firestone drive near East High street.

"We moved several times before we got settled here," Stanley M. Hallman, director of the center, said last night, "to the High school, the Moose hall and the YMCA—moves made necessary by last minute gifts."

Making a gift yourself is the surest way to keep the occasion in mind, they've found, and it's more fun than going out to buy one.

So when teacher reminded them the past month about Mother's Day, they held conferences in school rooms to decide what would be a nice present for mama.

MANY HAD noticed that their mothers liked flowers, so they decided to honor them with floral gifts.

Others liked to dabble in art, so they went to work on hand-painted greeting cards, some even adding verses of their own composition.

Mrs. Mary Schaeffer, kindergarten teacher at the Franklin school consulted her pupils on their favorite flower to give to mother many weeks ago.

When they had decided (they're not telling what kind it is because it's to be a surprise) teacher distributed the seeds for the kindergartners to plant in soil-filled paper cups.

THE SEEDS grow and the tiny plants were transplanted in pots. Now the plants are full of buds, waiting to burst open soon after.

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### PERFUME INSIDE; HAVE A WHIFF!

Fragrant, isn't it?

Today's issue of The Mercury is marked by another innovation. It contains a perfumed color advertisement!

On Pages 22 and 23, the People's Market large advertisement is scented with an odor that made a toilet soap famous, and is printed in part with orchid ink.

Hope you like it.

### Those Awkward Moments

## Mother Stays Calm as Her Sixth Son Leaves for Duty in Armed Forces

The final awkward moments, the last kiss and hug, the sight of a bus pulling away in dawn's grey light—they all were too familiar events for a Pottstown mother yesterday.

It was the sixth time that she had stayed behind and watched as her son go away into the country's armed forces.

But Mrs. John Stercula, 457 Beech street, took it once more! Dover, N. J., and 22-year-old Paul, and last night was able to smile, who is in the Army at Ft. Belvoir, Va.

He said, "There's not much you can do about it."

Yesterday morning at 6:30 o'clock, her son Donald climbed on a bus in front of borough hall, along with 28 young men from the Pottstown area, and rode to the Schuylkill arsenal, Philadelphia, where he'll be inducted into the army.

Mrs. Stercula was on hand with her husband, John.

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World War II, has now gone through the scene six times.

Her son, Donald, is the last son of the family left to be drafted.

## AREA PUPILS SET TO VIE IN CAPITAL EVENT

Over 450 Will Join In Seeking Honors In Washington

DRILL UNITS, SCHOOL BAND WILL COMPETE NATIONALLY

By NORMAND POIRIER  
(Mercury Staff Writer)

More than 450 Pottstown and area pupils—many of them members of the finest drill teams and bands in the land—will make the annual fun-packed trip to Washington, D.C. tomorrow for a try at proving they deserve their laurels.

The pupils will take part in the 17th annual National School Safety

## Crooked Cutter Clips Customer, Boss and Hotel

A mild-mannered, middle-aged man who can cash worthless and forged checks as neatly as he can cut drapery material is among the missing after fleecing Pottstown businessmen of \$168, plus \$200 worth of drapery fabrics.

This was reported by Louis Stein, owner of Barry Decorators, 816 High street. Yesterday morning, Stein swore out a warrant for 53-year-old Louis Sherman, who was a skilled, well-paid cutter for the High street firm.

As Stein described Sherman's actions, Sherman could be nicknamed the crooked cutter.

Sherman came to work for Barry decorators two months ago. He lived at the Shuler house, 138 High street.

After proving his skill as a cutter, Sherman was given the job of going to Harrisburg, Reading and Pottstown and cutting material for slip covers and upholstering desired by customers of big stores there.

THEN HE WAS to bring back the cut material to the High street firm for sewing and trimming. The firm has 11 employees here doing that work.

All went as outlined, until Sherman went on a bad-check spree on a recent weekend. It began in Pottstown.

Sherman limbered up his writing hand, Stein reported, by writing a check for \$25 in Harrisburg. The buyer of a store there okayed it. Sherman took it to the cashier's window.

At the window, Stein said, Sherman had a second thought, and told the cashier, "I think I'm going to need more money." And he wrote another check, for \$90. Since the first check had the buyer's okay, the cashier thought

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## 2 STOWE PUPILS WIN THREE-STOP AIRPLANE TRIP

Flight Will Leave Airport With Nation's Capital Its First Stop

The comforts of travel by air will be revealed to two West Pottsgrove High school Seniors tomorrow.

Mary T. Axsmith, 425 Race street, and Paul Strzelecki, 1815 Vine street, will be taken on a three stop flight by John J. Basco, manager of Pottstown Municipal Airport.

Basco is reviving a precedent he established prior to his recall into the Air Force. From 1946 through 1950 he took two deserving Seniors, a boy and a girl, on the all-day flight.

Strzelecki and Miss Axsmith were selected for the trip by the West Pottsgrove faculty.

Jessie H. Roseberry, high school principal, and one of Basco's former teachers, will complete the four-party flight.

BASCO WILL take off from Municipal airport in his Piper Tri-  
pacer, four-place plane at 8:30 a. m. for Washington D. C. The plane will arrive in National airport, Washington, approximately an hour later.

The group will drive into the city. They will go through the White house. At 12:30 p. m. they will leave for the New Castle county fair base, Wilmington, where they will view jet aircraft. They will arrive in Wilmington at approximately 1 p. m.

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## Senior Class Faces Wide Open Market In Work Prospects

By PETE LAMANA  
(Mercury Staff Writer)

Job hunting Seniors at the Pottstown High school have little or nothing to worry about.

And if present indications hold true, the 189 prospective graduates will find jobs a-plenty when they formally leave school June 4.

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## Postmasters to Tour Firestone During Three-Day Sessions

The fourth Sunday of this month will be a red letter day for Pottstown area postmasters.

It will be the first day of their State convention, when they join 400 of their colleagues in Reading to discuss first, second and third class matters and share a parcel of postal fellowship.

J. Alfred Marquet, Pottstown postmaster and a member of the committee on arrangements for the gathering, said last night that most area postmasters would attend.

The three-day meeting, lasting from Sunday morning, May 24, until Tuesday night, May 26, will be held in the Abraham Lincoln hotel.

ON MONDAY, the second day of the gathering, the postmasters will leave Reading for Pottstown and a tour of the Firestone plant.

"They will come into town in the afternoon," Marquet said, "tour the plant and be served a dinner at 5 o'clock in the plant cafeteria."

Pottstown will supply further

## Boyertown

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## Retired Operator Was at Switchboard During Fire That Claimed 171 Lives

More than 46 years ago, Bessie next to the State Theater, owned M. Mountjoy, 101 South Chestnut then by the late Mrs. Mary Kline, street, Boyertown, started working as a relief telephone operator for THE CONESTOGA TELEPHONE the Bell Telephone company, then company purchased the company located on the second floor of from Bell Telephone in November Boyer's Department store, Philadelphia and North Reading avenues, Boyertown. The past Friday, Boyertown, with the telephone then she retired from her position as operated on the common battery chief operator for the Conestoga Telephone company.

Miss Mountjoy stated that one of the times she will never forget as an operator was the historic Boyertown Opera House fire in 1905 when 171 persons lost their lives. She pointed out that with the many relatives, friends and newspapermen, all trying to use the few telephones that were in town, there was a great state of confusion but in the end, everyone was accommodated.

According to Miss Mountjoy, there were only approximately 50 telephones in Boyertown. Miss Mountjoy was one of three operators on duty at that time. The two others were Bessie Henry, now Mrs. James Eltner, and Mrs. Fannie Harline, now Mrs. Fannie Struse.

The first telephone system on which Miss Mountjoy worked was the magnetic system. The office was transferred from Boyer's to the second floor of the Erb building across the street. From that location, it was moved as a private telephone agency to the building'



TAKING TRAINING—Pvt. Charles R. Conrad, son of Charles M. Conrad, Main street, Bechtelsville, now is taking basic training with the 31st Infantry division at Camp Atterbury, Ind. Pvt. Conrad was inducted the past March 3.

During all these changes in locations and ownerships, Miss Mountjoy stayed on and when the Conestoga company made the purchase, she was made chief operator, the position she held until her retirement.

Miss Mountjoy stated another great change came about in December of 1918 when they moved into their new building and the beginning of the dial tone system, located at Second and Warwick streets, Boyertown.

On Monday night, Miss Mountjoy was honored at a surprise party held in the YMCA, Birdsboro by the IBEW, Local 1671, of which she is a member. They presented her with an electric toaster.

Mrs. Vinton Kulp, Fourth and Franklin streets, Boyertown, who was assistant chief operator for many years, has now been named chief operator, succeeding Miss Mountjoy. Mrs. Eva Keller, 43 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, has been named assistant chief operator.

## Club Plans Music Program at Meeting

Members of the American home and welfare departments of the Woman's club of Boyertown recently enjoyed a covered dish luncheon held at the Community center, 314 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown.

Those present were Mrs. William F. Moeller, Mrs. J. Clifford A. Lovengard, Mrs. William Enzel, Mrs. LaMar B. Smith, Mrs. Harry Reichert, Mrs. Earl H. Walt and Mrs. J. Ralph March.

It was reported that the regular monthly club meeting will be held on Tuesday at 2 p.m. in the Community center. The program will be in charge of the music department of which Mrs. R. Frank Hafer is chairman, assisted by Mrs. Earl Brumback.

The program will include several selections by the club choruses and a 20-minute film entitled, "The Great Waltz" by Strauss.

**Friendship Fire Company To Ballot for President**

Members of the Friendship Hook and Ladder company, Boyertown, will gather for a new president today with Herbert S. Schultz, 631 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, and Ernest L. Weidner, Fifth and Berks streets, Boyertown, the nominees for the post to succeed the retiring president, Charles Wise.

The polls will be open in the company's grille room from 12 noon to 8 p.m., at which time the balloting will end and the company's monthly business session will follow.

All other officers have no position in their respective offices and are thereby elected by acclamation.

## DEATHS—FUNERALS

Services for IRVIN H. MAURER, husband of the late Katie (Yoder) Maurer, 619 EAST PHILADELPHIA AVENUE, BOYERTOWN, McKlein, Juniata college, will be master of ceremonies for that night, with members' wives invited to attend.

The Rev. David F. Longacre, pastor of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, Boyertown, officiated.

Interment was made in Fairview cemetery, Boyertown.

Bearers were Ernst F. Allmendinger, Fritz K. Allmendinger, Guy F. Reiner, William Yoder, William B. Nagel and Jacob M. Yoder.

Services for SALLIE D. (FISHER) SASSAMAN, widow of William M. Sassaman, 1339 QUEEN STREET, FOTTSTOWN, were held yesterday at 2 p.m. from a funeral home at 125 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown.

The Rev. Paul C. Scheuer, pastor of St. John's Reformed church, Fottstown, officiated.

Interment was made in Fairview cemetery, Boyertown.

The goal for the drive has been set at \$4500 with a total of 630

Fritz, Ralph Davidheiser, George Kerth, Luther Fisher, William Fisher, Paul Fisher and Walter Geiger.

## AEC Readies A-Blast

LAS VEGAS, Nev., May 6 (P.T.)—The Army, Readying for the atomic explosion No. 8 of the 1953 series, will attend a "Donor Dinner" tomorrow morning as the Atomic Energy commission called a pre-Reading shot press conference today.

Those planning to attend are two thousand Army troops and Mrs. Amandus Erb, president; 200 military observers were ready. Mrs. Alvin Stoltz, secretary; Mrs. Mary Saylor, Pauline Ehl, Marie Ehl, Mrs. Mary Ehl, Mrs. Josephine Eddinger, Katie Arnold, Melcher and Mrs. Lawrence K. Bauer, Boyertown, donor chair-

The famous schooner yacht, Mrs. Paul Miller, Mrs. Gertrude Melcher and Mrs. Lawrence K. Bauer, Boyertown, donor chair-

## Flowers in Altar Vases at Church Honor Memory of Mrs. Breuninger

SUMNEYTOWN—Phone Newwood 2453, Del. Litwood Renninger, Phone Valley House 2-112.

The flowers in the altar vases, St. John's Lutheran church, honored the memory of Mrs. William Breuninger Sr., and were a gift from the family. The flowers at the base of the cross honored the memory of Mrs. Clara J. Dauman and were a gift of the family. The bulletin also honored the memory of Mrs. Clara J. Dauman and were a gift of the family.

The ushers' boutonnieres were donated by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cashatt in memory of Mrs. Cashatt's parents.

The candles on the altar were turned to the honor and glory of God and in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Spitzmacher. They were the gift of Mrs. Julia Milke.

Craig Jeffrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Walter, was baptized by the Rev. E. L. Angstadt, St. John's Lutheran church, the parents were the sponsors.

TWENTY-FOUR MEMBERS of the Sumneytown Lutheran Parish Luther league, visited a historic shrine of Lutheranism, the oldest unaltered Lutheran church at Trappe. The next meeting of this organization will be held in St. John's Lutheran, Sunday, May 17 at 6 p.m. Grace Nester and Sadie Goger will have charge of the program.

The regular meeting of the Women of the church will be held Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Marguerite Hildenbrand will lead in the discussion of the topic, "European Women Serving."

Anniversary services, celebrating the 25th year of the founding of Friedens Union church, will be held on Sunday, May 24, with services at 10 a.m., Prof. Lee J. Gable, professor of Christian education at the Reformed Theological seminary, Lancaster, will preach and the Reformed church will sing. In the afternoon at 2 o'clock the Rev.

Lesley E. Feiter, president of the Sunday School Union and Young Peoples Union program the past Sunday afternoon.

Officers elected to serve the conference for the next year are the Rev. Ward Shelly, Lancaster, president; the Rev. A. H. Shultz, Quakertown, vice president; the Rev. Maynard Shelly, Allentown, secretary, and Harry Detweller, Sonder, treasurer.

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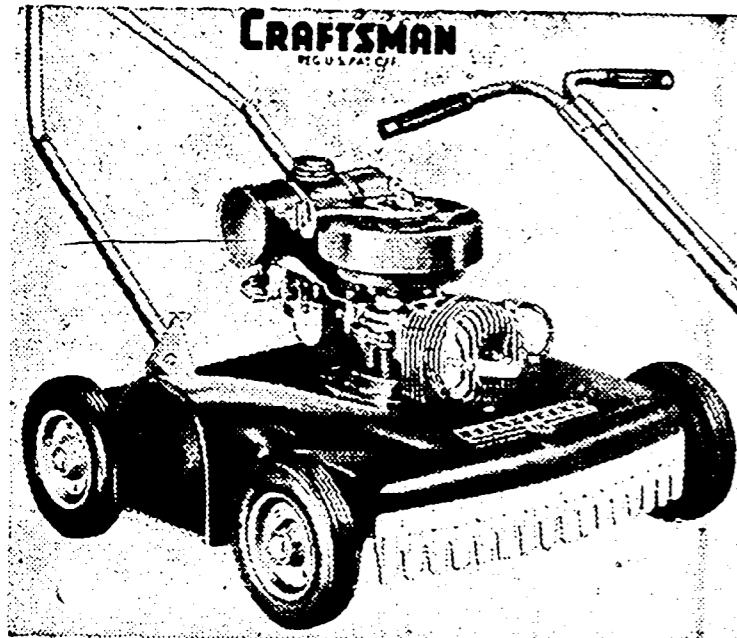
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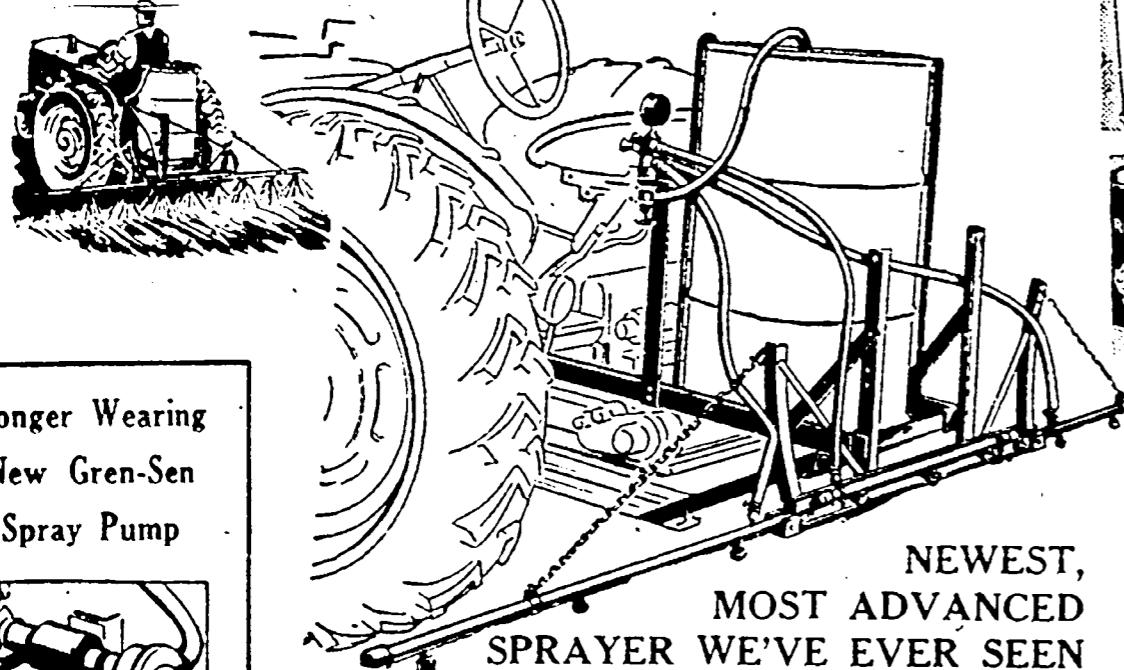
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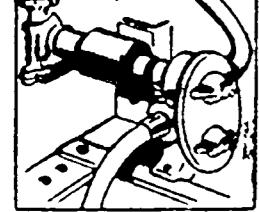
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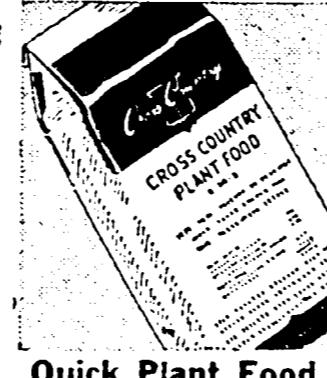
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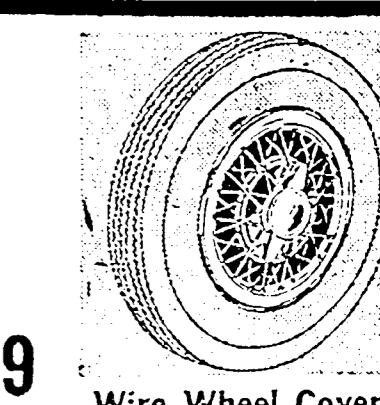
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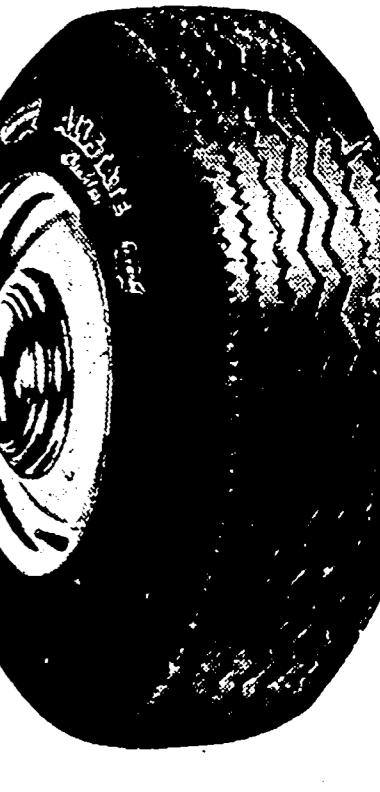


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# Gilbertsville's Firewomen Models Will Exhibit Styles at 'Garden' Show Tonight

Garden scene with flowers and white picket fence will be the setting for the spring fashion show sponsored by the Gilbertsville Fire Company Ladies auxiliary.



GETTING READY—Mrs. Robert Nester adjusts the bow tie on small Richard Freed as Karen Nester looks on, as they rehearse for the roles they will play in tonight's style show. The event is sponsored by the Gilbertsville Fire company auxiliary. The youngsters above are cast-members of the finale in the show. Karen plays a flower girl and Richard a bearer in the mock wedding which will include a bride and her grown attendants. Maternity clothes as well as dressy and casual wear will complete the show. Curtains rise at 7:30 p. m. in the Keystone Fire hall.

Tonight at 7:30 p. m., the doors of the Keystone Fire hall will be flung open to the public and the fashion show will be under way.

Scene one deals with children's clothes of all types. Sports wear, girl's bathing suits, dressy dresses and slacks for boys, will be the feature.

Maternity clothes of every kind will be modeled in scene two. A special surprise feature is planned for this scene.

Casual street wear for women will highlight scene three and will be followed by cocktail dresses in scene four.

Evening gowns of soft spring colors will be shown in scene five. They will feature both long and ballerina length styles.

To climax the show a bridal display is planned. Over ten bridal gowns will be modeled and they will range in prices. With the bride will be her three attendants and also a ring bearer and flower girl.

The bridal party will retrace the march up the aisle and the bride throwing her bouquet to the lucky lady who catches it.

Chairman of the show is Jeanette Nester, and Eloise Schaefer is co-chairman.

Refreshments are under Annie Miller, Nora Romig and Helen Gerhart.

Back stage workers include Lillian Freed, Carol Kulp, Louise Gabel, Josephine Reid and Grace Gerhart.

On the tickets committee are Hilda O'Connell, Margaret Moyer, Pearl Zern. In charge of the door will be Betty Moser, Alverda Clouser and Mary Freed.



—Mercury Staff Photo

SUITABLE for sun or cocktails are the summery frocks worn above by, from left, Mrs. Edward Buchak, Mrs. Donald Schwabel and Mrs. Charles Trullinger as they rehearse for the Gilbertsville Fire company auxiliary fashion show tonight. The affair will be held 7:30 p. m. in the Keystone Fire hall. It is open to the public. Children's and women's styles will be modeled.

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## :-WHAT WOMEN ARE DOING:-

### Mrs. Kenneth Placido to Head Hospital Auxiliary

Mrs. Kenneth Placido, who will succeed Mrs. Lowell Kratz as president of the Pottstown hospital Junior auxiliary, told tallied votes from the election held Monday night in the nurses' home.

Other new officers are Mrs. Eugene Kauer, first vice president; Mrs. Robert Kirby, second vice president; Mrs. Jack Case, treasurer; Mrs. Pauline

Smith, corresponding secretary, and Velma Lightcap, recording secretary.

These officers will be installed at the November meeting.

A new member, Mrs. William Merkel, was proposed and accepted into the auxiliary.

The auxiliary will hold a summer fashion show in Maria Assunta

hall May 25 at 8 p. m., with clothes modeled by professional models.

Mrs. Eugene Kauer will chair this event.

Plans also were made to

sponsor a stock car race at the Sunnoga Speedway June 20.

Mrs. A. C. Seawell discussed hospital topics including the higher cost for modern hospital

care. State aid for charity patients, the progression of the building project and the cost of educating nurses for three years of training.

This figure is \$2500.

Eleanor Bentz gave a short talk on "Art in Homemaking." She stressed the point of varying colors to suit the size of the room—how to use color to make a small room appear larger.

### Ladies of Emmanuel Lutheran Bible Class See 13 Members Model Summer Fashions

Summer styles highlighted the Ladies Bible class, Emmanuel Lutheran church, meeting Monday night.

Devotions were led by Geraldine Stricker.

The program was in the form of a fashion show presented by Mrs. Eugene Smith. Girls modeled summer cotton dresses.

Models, who are all members of the class, were: Mrs. Joseph Klink, Mrs. George Bickel, Mrs. Earl Keiser, Mrs. Bernard Keim, Mrs. J. Harold Yocom, Mrs. J. Carroll Geiger and Mrs. William Waltemeyer.

Mrs. Wayne Lender, Mrs. Norman Yocom, Kathryn Hanley, Mrs. Irvin Rieger, Martha Keuchler and Geraldine Stricker.

Hostesses for the meeting were: Geraldine Stricker, chairman; Mary A. Davidheiser, Mrs. Henry Burden, Mrs. Wayne Lender, Mrs. William Carnahan, Mrs. Philip Sotter, Mrs. Roland Brauch and Mrs. Maurice Friedman.

Her fiance at present is training at Sampson Air Force base, New York. Before entering the service, he was employed by The Mercury.

The engagement was an-

ounced while Miss Smoyer, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Haldeman, was visiting her betrothed in New York.

No date has been set for the wedding.

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## Edna A. Dierolf Weds Richard J. Brandil

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The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. John Dierolf, 20 Mill Street, Boyertown. Parents of the groom are Mr. Melvin Endy.

For the double ring ceremony, gray checked suit with navy blue accessories and white gloves.

A corsage of yellow rose buds completed the ensemble.

Joseph J. Brandil was best man for his brother.

The bride attended Boyertown Reception at the home of the High school.

groom's parents for 50 guests followed the ceremony.

A member of the Armed Forces, the groom attended Pottstown High

The couple will be at home at school.

## Irene Corbett Never Learns — Her Friends Trick Her a 3d Time With Surprise Bridal Shower Before Her Forthcoming Wedding

Irene Corbett, 32 East Sixth street, was tricked into the third bridal shower this month.

Unsuspecting, she was to deliver an article to be used in the wedding to one of her attendants, Nina DiGiosia, 814 Vine street, Stowe. When she arrived, she found her guests assembled.

The first shower that surprised her was held in Reading by future relatives. Number two came, when she thought she was to have a gown fitting in Chester.

Now, while on a friendly errand, her attendants surprised her again. She hardly knows what to expect next, she said.

Her attendants are Shirley Corbett, Nancy Marquette and Nina DiGiosia.

Pink and white streamers cascaded from a white ruffled umbrella and sheltered gifts below.

Guests attending were: Mrs. Antonia Dinnocenza, Dorothy Dinnocenza, Mrs. Henry Sayler, Marie Marquette, Janet Monaghan, Anna Rulli, Mrs. Michael Yonkovitch and Elizabeth Yonkovitch.

After the ceremony, the couple set up housekeeping in East Nantmeal. They farmed for 30 years, and then moved to Pottstown, where Mr. Wynn became a stone mason.

They have four children: Mrs. John H. Smith, Paoli; Clara F. Wynn, Coatesville, and J. D. and J. C. Wynn, Pottstown.

Mrs. Wynn was an active Sunday school teacher for 19 years and only this Spring resigned her position.

Mr. Wynn is a cubmaster for the Cub Scouts of Pottstown.

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. George Bodor, Willow and Wilson streets, yesterday became the parents of a daughter, born in Pottstown hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Richards, 322 Arch street, Royersford, at Pottstown hospital, yesterday.

Guest speaker will be Mrs. Verne Smith, who was a former missionary to India. During World War II, Mrs. Smith was interned for three years in the Philippines.

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Officers were installed at a meet. Keeler, vice-president; Mrs. Leslie Strunk Jr., secretary; Mrs. Howard Stubblebine, Mrs. Maurice Kellar, Mrs. Neal Burtner, Mrs. Nelson Yocom and Mrs. Charles Stoudt.

Christian Service at St. James Methodist church, Cedarville. The candle-light installation service was opened with a prayer by the Rev. Charles Truax.

Leader of the service was Mrs. Maurice Kellar. White Spring flowers and white candles decorated the room.

Assuming office were: Mrs. W. W. Alan Hohl, president; Mrs. William Quattle, secretary of spiritual life;

## HOSPITALS

**MEMORIAL** Admitted: Albert Gebhard, 114 South Hanover street, surgical;

Michael Selsinger, Pottstown RD 3, medical; Sharon Zeigler, 256 Beech street, surgical; Ronald Pace, 11 East Seventh street, surgical;

George Strouse, 344 Jefferson avenue, medical; Thomas Zeigler, 41 East Fifth street, medical.

**Discharged**: Gerald Clements, 1222 Chestnut street, medical; Delmar Dressler, 501 High street, medical; Harry Hopwood, 77 West Seventh avenue, surgical; Bertha Kleinsmith, 45 South Madison street, Boyertown, surgical; Maurice Kurta Jr., 978 Terrace lane, surgical; Mary Ellen Lambert, Rahns, surgical; George Miller, Spring City RD 1, medical; Joanne Moura, Glen Moore RD 1, surgical; Mrs. Virginia Slody, 805 South Fourth street, Roversford, maternity; Walter Swavely Jr., Pottstown RD 2, surgical.

**POTTS TOWN** Admitted: Valerie Richards, 322 Parsel, 310 South Main street, Arch street, Royersford, maternity; Clark Gilbert, Bechtelsville, King, 1308 Queen street, surgical; Sandra Hartenstein, 251 Mrs. Gloria Gourbourne, Pine Maplewood drive, surgical; Diane Forge Institute, maternity.

## Dinner Celebrates Three Anniversaries

A triple anniversary dinner celebration was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hertel, Woxall.

This couple, celebrating their 15th anniversary May 7, was joined by Mrs. Hertel's sister and parents, who were also married close to that date.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Nyce, Zieglerville, had their 47th anniversary May 5 while Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Mest, Perki-

## Bridal Shower Held to Fete Gayle Sands

Gayle Sands, Gilbertsville, was feted at a bridal shower Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Albright, 213 North Reading avenue, Boyertown.

Hostesses were Charlene Albright, Jane Endy and Janet Mest.

Miss Sands will be married to Philip Eddinger May 25.

He is the son of Philip Eddinger, and the late Mrs. Eddinger, 34 South Franklin street, Boyertown.

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## Marriage Licenses

Applications for marriage licenses were made yesterday in Montgomery County courthouse, by:

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James R. Weidner, 355 Beech street, and Anne F. Fineisen, Spring City RD 1.

Raymond Hank Jr., 222 Cherry street, East Greenville, and Patricia A. Pearl, Pennsburg.

Vaughn A. Edmunds, 476 North Evans street, and Jo Anne Hunter, Mt. Vernon street.

Lamar F. Shafer, Main road, Linfield, and Agnes C. Wimchuck, Main road, Linfield.

Gordon K. Renninger, Barto RD, and Edna M. Hoch, Pennsburg.

Henry L. Fritz, 455 Walnut street, Royersford, and Margaret R. Wood, Collegeville RD 2.

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Mrs. Ivan March, secretary of missionary education; Mrs. Charles Hippie, secretary of Christian social relations and local church activities; Mrs. Neal Burtner, secretary of student and youth work.

Mrs. Horace Dilge, secretary of children's work; Bessie Mar-

Philadelphia.

Members are expected to attend the May Fellowship tea sponsored by Pottstown council of church

talk on parliamentary procedure in the group.

Mrs. Leslie Strunk Jr., secretary of status of women.

Music was supplied by Mrs. at St. Matthew's Methodist church,

Present were Mrs. Donald

Erb, Mrs. Rufus Ecker, the Rev. Charles Truax and Mrs. Russell Nitterauer.

Mrs. Harry Hippie, Mrs. Thomas Rosister, Mrs. Austin Hippie, Mrs. Charles Hippie, Mr. John Hippie, Mrs. William

Steele and Mrs. Stanley Sands.

Mrs. Howard Stubblebine, Mrs. Maurice Kellar, Mrs. Neal Burtner, Mrs. Nelson Yocom and Mrs. Charles Stoudt.

Mrs. Charles Bandy, Mrs. How-

ard Gaul, Mrs. Ivan March and

Bessie Marquette.

## Methodist Berean Bible Class Members Attend Meeting With Kummerer Family

Mr. and Mrs. William Kummerer Sr., 937 Walnut street, acted as host and hostess to the Berean Bible class, Searles Memorial Methodist church.

Devotions were lead by Clara Shenton and she chose as her theme, Psalm 139. Louise Kummerer played two records, "It Is No Secret" and "Faith of Our Father."

With Mrs. Clarence Quinter presiding, committee reports were given by the following: Mrs. George Keiffer, Mrs. George Stein, Mrs. Horace Swavely and Mrs. Daniel Drumheller.

Those attending the meeting were: Clara Shenton, Mary Carl, Mrs. George Stein, Mrs. George Keiffer, Mrs. Horace Swavely, Ambrose Malenke, with Mrs. Leon Assee as treasurer.

A weekend camping trip was planned for the Parkerford girl scouts at Camp Tweedale.

Helen Wiehne, supervising principal of the Kimberton Farms school, gave an illustrated talk on the philosophy and activities of the school.

William Hurt entertained with three folk songs on the guitar. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Edward Stanton and Mrs. Clifford Steinbruck.

Next month's meeting will be held in the home of Ola Walt with Mrs. Alvia White as co-hostess.

Present at the meeting were: Mrs. Leon Assee, Mrs. Harold Atkinson, Mrs. Everett Brower, Lillian Hoffman, Helen Hritzko, Mrs. Wayne Johnson and Mrs. Clarence Keen.

Mrs. Charles Kreamer, Mrs. Clayton Long, Mrs. William Oberlander, Mrs. Ambrose Malenke, Mrs. Parker Malenke and Ola Walt.

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## ANNIVERSARIES

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**Yesterday** Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Moyer, Pottstown RD 4, 31 years.

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# North Coventry School Girls Model Summer Styles at Fashion Show

A Spring Fashion show, in four acts, was presented last night by the Home economics department, North Coventry High school, in North Coventry elementary auditorium.

Act one was a "Slick Chick Fashion Show," presented by the Eighth grade class.

Members of the cast were: Marjorie Horosky, Mary Ann Miller, Betty Rothenberger, Margaret Shell, Betty Nimmerichter, Darlene Barles, Patty Bertolet, Patty Miller, Loretta Wampler, Jeanette Colver, Joan Davis, Ellen Geary, Yerger and Irene Yerger.

Second act was a "Spring Fashion Magazine," put on by the Ninth and Tenth grade Vocational Home Economics class. Alice Mildred Opperman, Betty Day and Mary Ann Kocur, Doris Sears, Arlene Richards, Linabelle Sears, Joyce Quick.

Jean Brower and Joanne Miller. Cast members were: Mary Lou Latch, Anna Reinstein, Elsie Mae Houck, Joyce Christman, Barbara Moyer and Shirley Drumheller.

Nancy Brower, Patty Bortman, Anna Reinstein was the Narrator, Sandra Kondun and Alice Grubb, rator. Cast included: Alice Bauman, Mary Ann Manwiller, Janice Hohl, Mildred Opperman, Betty Day and Mary Ann Kocur, Doris Sears, Arlene Richards, Linabelle Sears, Janet Brown, Barbara Vogt, Nancy Gelo, Gail Brower, Opal Monks, Shirley Hilborn, Patsy DeAn-

Hampton, Joan Henry, Barbara Lake, Betty Lash and Barbara Brower.

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## Red Cross Motor Corps Pleads for New Volunteers to Assist Aged, Retarded Children, Hospital Patients and Clinic Cases

Additional drivers for the local Red Cross Motor Corps are needed to continue the work of the corps, announced Charles Himes, chairman of the organization.

Men and women between ages of 20 and 50 who have held a driver's license for two years are eligible to join.

A driving test, given by Pennsylvania state police at Belmont barracks and a short written test based on a small booklet on motor mechanics are the two other requirements.

Those who wish to join may take the driver's test Saturday along with two new recruits, Ned Simpson and Florence Manton.

"If we do not get more drivers, we may have to give up some of our assignments," stated Mr. Himes.

Some of the assignments include: getting members to and from the Golden Age club meetings, taking patients to State clinics at nearby and distant hospitals, and taking Valley Forge hospital patients for drives to parties and sports events.

One of the specific duties is the driving of retarded children to a special school twice a week. When a driver is not available, the child does not

get to school. Anyone interested should contact Mr. Himes or the local Red Cross office this week in order to take their test Saturday, he said.

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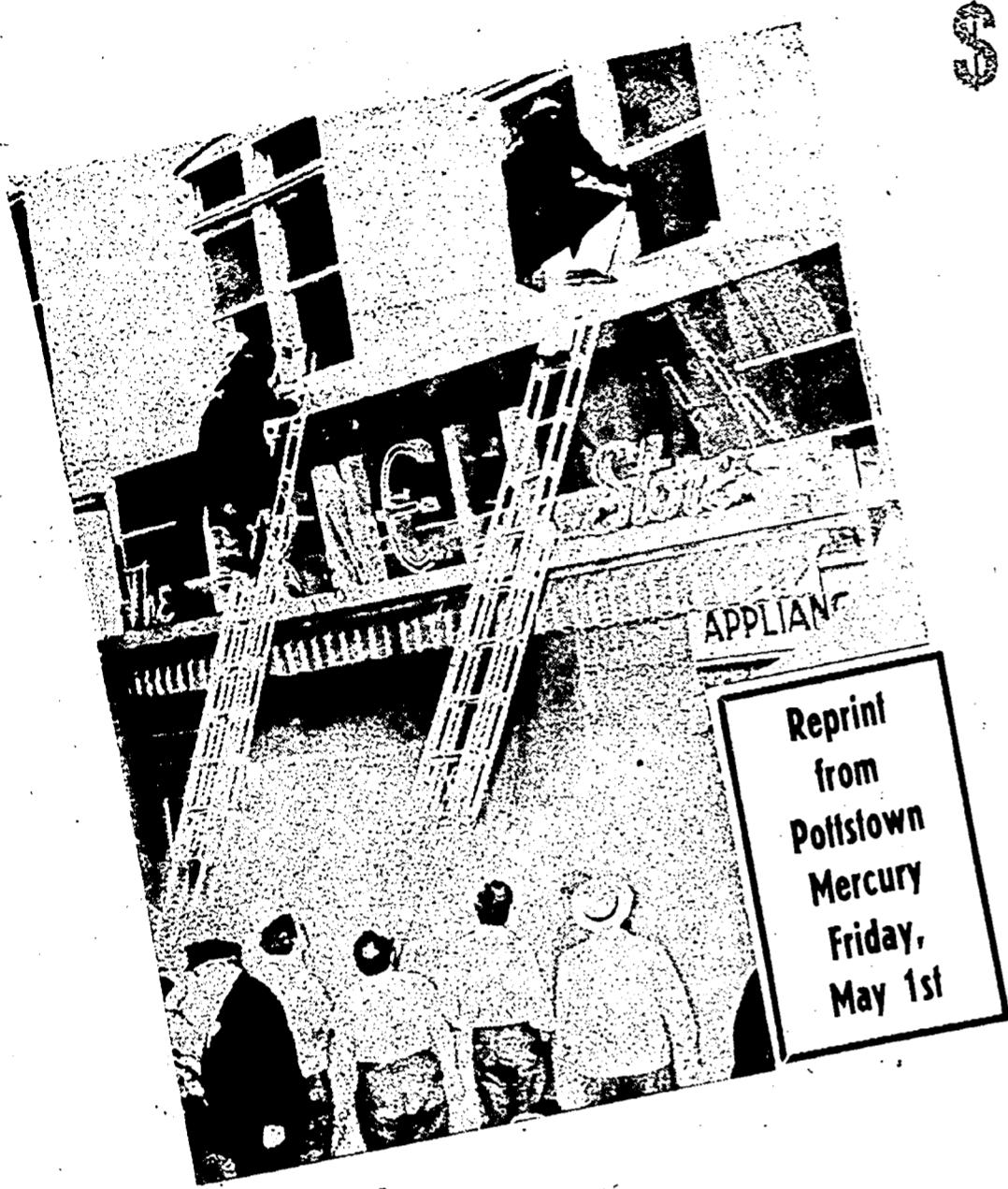
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**Reds Approve UN Prisoner Proposal, Seek Commission to Supervise POWs**

PANMUNJOM, THURSDAY, May 7 (AP) — The Communists agreed today to leave in Korea those prisoners of war who do not want to go home after an armistice is signed. That was an unshakable Allied demand which has tied up the revived truce talks for days.

The Reds submitted an eight-point proposal, that called for a five-nation neutral commission to supervise prisoners refusing repatriation.

They nominated Poland, Czechoslovakia, Switzerland, Sweden and India. Lt. Gen. William K. Harrison Jr., chief Allied negotiator, said after the 26-minute meeting:

"This is an important proposal and any comment made on it now would be premature."

HARRISON SAID he had not had time to analyze the proposal.

At Allied request, the talks were adjourned until 11 a. m., tomorrow (9 p. m., Pottstown time, Thursday).

Harrison said the Reds had reserved the right to renew their April 26 proposal that the 18,000 Chinese and North Koreans in Allied hands who refuse repatriation should be transported to a neutral caretaker nation.

But they abandoned that demand for the moment, at least.

"The Communists admitted that the POWs shall not be physically removed from Korea," Harrison said when he emerged from the conference hut.

The Red proposal called for the return to their homelands within two months after an armistice of all prisoners who want to go home.

THE OTHERS would be placed in custody of the neutral commission in Korea.

Four of the nations suggested as custodians already have been agreed upon by both sides as the neutral supervisory commission to observe how armistice conditions are carried out.

India has not been approached. Point three of the Red proposal was to hand over to the neutral repatriation commission all prisoners of war of both sides who are not repatriated.

These prisoners would be released from all military control.

The neutral nations would have custody over them until their fate had been decided.

The commission would have the authority to exercise its legitimate functions and responsibilities for the control of the prisoners under its temporary jurisdiction.

**Diggers Find History's First Doodle**

WASHINGTON, May 6 (AP) — What may be history's first known "doodle" has been unearthed in ancient Mycenae. It's a figure of a slant-eyed dancing girl scratched on the back of a clay tablet, presumably by a pre-occupied Greek businessman of the Bronze age.

This was reported today by the National Geographic society after one of its staffers explored a recent copy of a British publication called "The Geographical Magazine."

The magazine, in an article signed by one Freya Stark, told of recent archeological discoveries in the Mycenaean ruins on the Greek Peloponnesus, including some 3000-year-old clay tablets which "are the first ever to be found in a private house."

"They are accounts, columns of words followed by figures," reported Stark, "and show that 3000 years ago, the art of writing among the Greeks of the Bronze age was not confined to palace scribes."

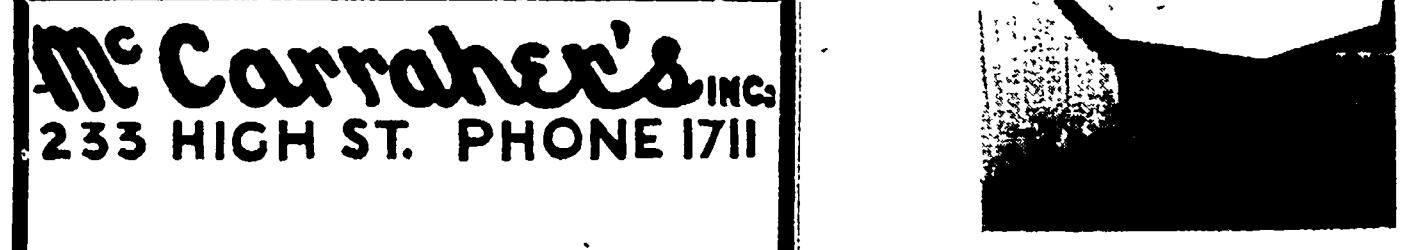
"ON THE BACK of one of the tablets, as it might be on a blotting pad in a modern committee room, some Mycenaean scratched a dancing figure with slanting eyes—a careless trifle, full of grace. (Probably the first doodle in history!)"

After reading this account, the National Geographic society got out a news release declaring the "account tablet was clearly drawn by an ancient Greek businessman with his mind on other things."

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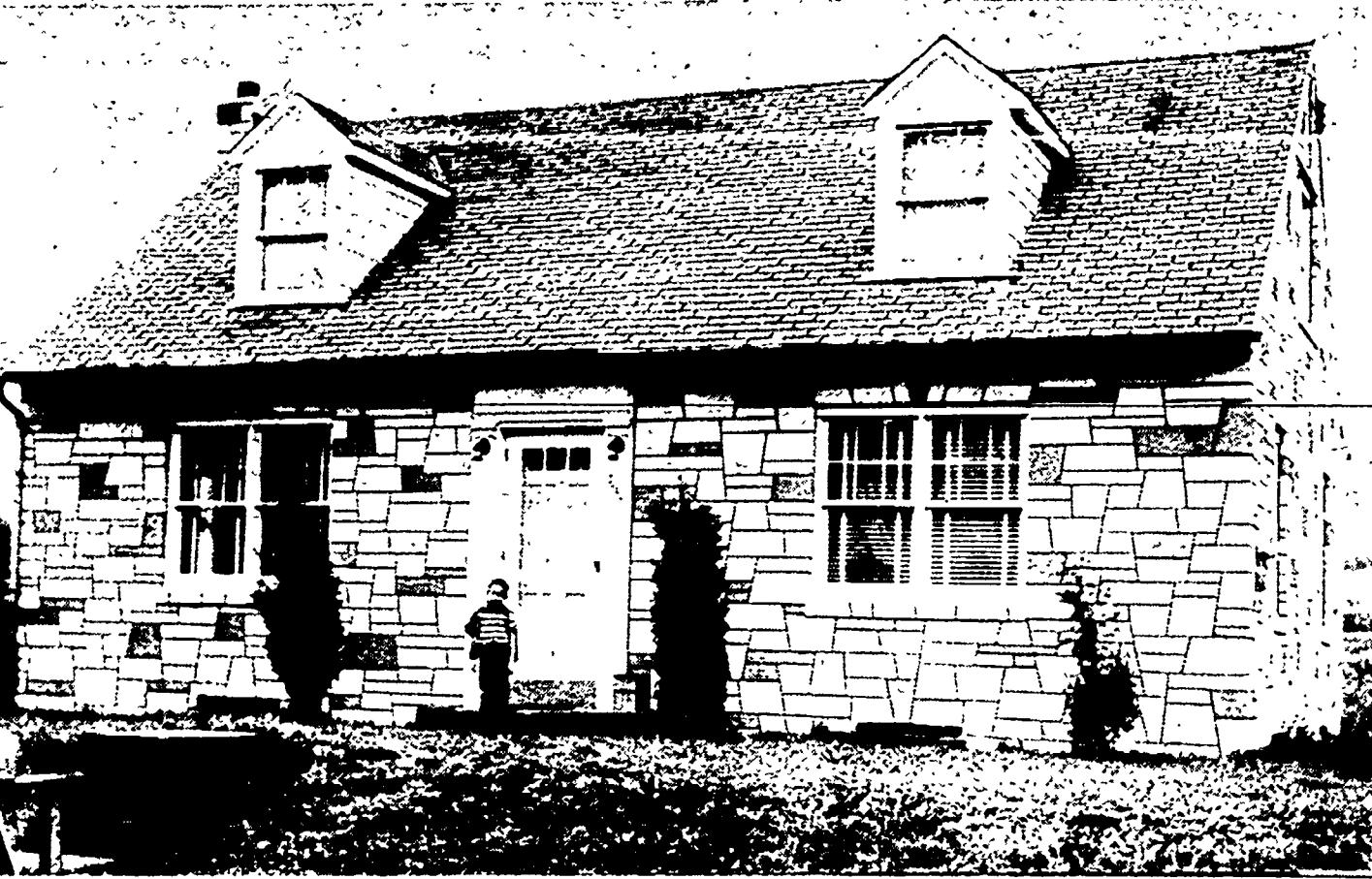
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**PRESIDENT TO VISIT PENN STATE**

STATE COLLEGE, May 6 (AP) — the community's major industry. This typical college town reacted like a flustered housewife learning the boss was coming to dinner when it received word today of President Eisenhower's weekend visit.

The seven Americans were seized at the outbreak of hostilities in Korea nearly three years ago. They include five Methodist missionaries and a Catholic Maryknoll priest.

The Russian Foreign office notified the American embassy in Moscow of their impending arrival. It said they would reach the Russian capital at 11:20 a. m., Moscow time, Monday.

THE UNITED STATES appealed to Russia several weeks ago to use its influence with North Korean authorities to obtain the release of the Americans. The embassy asked for Russian aid in freeing 13 Americans.

In reply, the North Koreans said they would free seven but that three others had died and the remaining three never had been heard from.

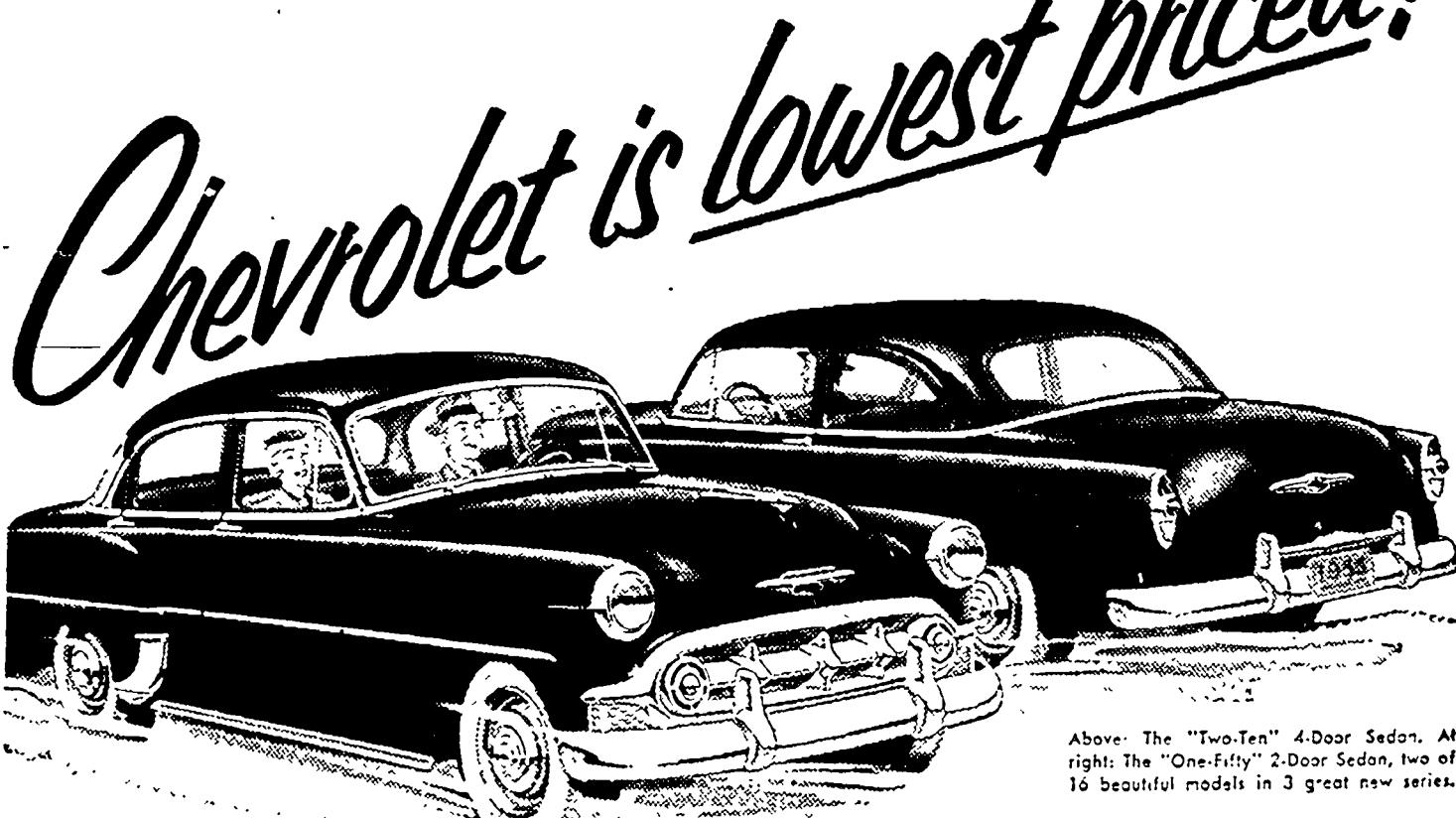
WORKERS GET HIKE PITTSBURGH, May 6 (AP) — About 1600 maintenance workers in a 15-county area got an eight-cent hourly wage boost today from West Penn Power company. Previous wage scales of the employees, sugar control makes it difficult to determine whether Senator McCarthy was working for the best interests of the Government as he saw it or for Pepsi-Cola company.

"I and the stockholders I represent are very much opposed to any US senator, whether he is Senator McCarthy or any other Senator receiving favors from a corporation of this nature," Gilbert said.

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**Six Flying Boxcars Lead Off Stream Of US Aid to Indochina's Forces**

HANOI, Indochina, May 6 (AP) — Six US flying boxcars—the first of possibly two or three dozen under stepped-up American aid—flew into Hanoi today, loaded troops and war cargoes, and immediately took off to reinforce French and Laotian forces against Vietminh invaders of Laos.

They roared away for Luang Prabang, 275 miles southwest of Hanoi, and the broad Plaine Des Jarres, giving a tremendous morale boost to French and Laotian defenders hopeful the Communists-led Vietminh can be "French" to fly them in the area of combat.

American crews flew the giant C-119s, here from Japan via the Philippines. They are capable of carrying 64 paratroopers or a whopping

cargo of weapons and ammunition.

In Washington, the defense department said US air force pilots ferried the planes to Indo-china but that it is "up to the Chinese" to bring them to the area of combat. He added that several thousand French airmen have been trained in the operation of American planes in recent years and that a number of French pilots have qualified to operate multi-engined aircraft.

THE C119 can carry approximately three times the load of a C-47 transport of the type the French have been using in Indochina. The bigger planes also can carry much larger items of equipment, such as artillery, than the C-47.

French and Laotian patrols probed in a wide area around Luang Prabang, the residence town of Laotian King Sisavang Vong, without making any contact with Vietminh forces believed encamped in surrounding hills and mountains.

This was the second day patrols had failed to encounter enemy opposition. There was speculation that Vietminh leaders are pulling out some units and withdrawing northward.

The French disclosed today that Gen. Hoang Minh Tao, trained in war by Communist Chinese, is directing the Vietminh's southern invasion operations which have sent advance elements from the heart of Laos towards the Thailand border.

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VAN FLEET

## Van Fleet Declares Demo Foreign Policy Halted Korea Victory

NEW YORK, May 6 — General James A. Van Fleet, who led UN combat troops in Korea for 22 rugged months, today charged that high policy in Washington stopped our armies from winning and ending the Korean war two years ago. "Our greatest mistake in Korea," General Van Fleet said in Life magazine in which he states his convictions on how to achieve peace in the Far East, "has been that we have consistently underestimated the Koreans and overestimated the Chinese Reds."

"This first erroneous judgement of the strength and mobility of Red armies has created a state of mind which has plagued us throughout the war and is still plaguing us. In the present peace talks with the Chinese Reds, I am absolutely convinced that we run the risk of throwing away the future of our nation."

In explaining why he prepared the articles, General Van Fleet, who first met and stopped Communist aggression in Greece after World War I and probably knows more about the situation in Korea than any other man, said

"NOW THAT I AM RETIRED, I must speak to the American people as clearly as I can, in defense of what I think is best for my country and of what I believe is due those who have served and died in Korea."

"That is not easy, for much of what I have to say goes counter to the present optimism over the chances for an agreement with the Chinese Reds. Moreover, it goes counter to what seems to have been our official policy for 2½ years. What I have to recommend represents practically a 180 degree turn in our thinking. But my conscience will not let me remain silent."

When he arrived in Korea in April 1951, the General says, the Eighth Army had taken some bad beatings and the atmosphere was tense. "Then came the sudden and dramatic shift in the tides of war. The next weeks were among the greatest in the history of the US Army."

"We met the attack and routed the enemy. We had him beaten and could have destroyed his armies."

"THEN OUR GOVERNMENT'S high policy intervened, and we were ordered not to advance any farther. The stalemate began. While I was in Korea opportunities presented themselves again and again where I was fully aware of my chance to beat the Reds once and for all and was restrained only by high policy."

Starting the Korean war was the worst mistake the Kremlin ever made, the General says. "It is costing the Chinese Reds much more than it is costing us. They never expected such a drub; they have to get out of it. All we have to do is start an all out effort in Korea and the Reds will soon come begging to us."

In terms of high strategy, the Reds have lost the war in Korea, and know it, he said and asks: "Why, when we can annihilate the Chinese Reds if we want to—why, when Korea is so much more favorable a battleground for us than for them, are so many of us over-eager for peace at any price?"

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# Charlie Riley Upsets Gallardo With Seven-Round Technical KO

WASHINGTON, May 6 (UPI)—The strength of his upset decision: Charlie Riley clobbered Dave Gallover interim champ Percy Bassett a gross of \$1680 and somehow you lardo to bloody defeat in a bruising featherweight brawl tonight. But tonight he ran up against a Referee Ray Bowen stopped the ring veteran with plenty of know-how and a deadly right cross. Next fight at 1:07 of the seventh round after Riley nearly knocked Gallo out of the ring.

The crowd whooped and hollered pretty even fight, with Riley a from start to finish as the two shade ahead. The Associated Press men fought toe-to-toe almost from score card had it three for Riley, after Riley nearly knocked Gallo out of the ring.

UP TO THE seventh, it was a from start to finish as the two shade ahead. The Associated Press men fought toe-to-toe almost from the opening whistle.

Riley, a St. Louisian, weighed in at 132 for the nationally televised fight. Gallardo, the 85 favorite from Los Angeles, weighed 129½.

Gallardo had burst all the way then on until Bowen halted the to the No. 1 challenger spot on fight.

## Wilhelm's 12th Relief

### Giants Beat Cubs on 15 Hits, 8-5

NEW YORK, May 6 (UPI)—The inning. Three other National League teams have had only one cago pitchers in a 15-hit attack assist, the last being Pittsburgh in today to hand the Cubs their seventh straight loss, 8-5, in a three-hour five-minute struggle.

A big six-run rally in the fifth inning did the trick along with their six runs in the fifth. Help of two relief pitching by Singles by Dave Williams and Al Corwin and Hoyt Wilhelm down the last five innings.

Corwin checked the Cubs effectively after off-form Sal Maglie was removed for a pinch hitter. When Corwin tired in the ninth, Manager Leo Durocher called on Wilhelm's knuckler to save the lead. Wilhelm, making his 12th appearance in 18 games, retired three in a row with two men on base, striking out Hank Sauer for the final out.

The Giants tied a National League record with only one assist—a throw by Maglie to double Roy Smalley on first base in the fourth.

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## Hill Jayvees Top Perkiomen Prep

The Hill Jayvees spilled Perkiomen Prep's varsity netters yesterday for the second time this year in winning their third straight match of the season, topping the Pittsburghers, 7-2, here.

Joe Turner, Harry Johnson, Lauri Hardin, Bill McClung and Mead Geisel all turned in singles victories, with Hardin and Peter Holzman and Al Biggs, Jim Beering teaming for doubles wins.

The Blue Seconds have three more matches to go this year, the next listed at home Saturday against the Ursinus Jayvees.

**SUMMARY**  
Singles  
Turner (H) defeated Applegate, 6-1.

Evans (P) defeated P. Holzman, 9-7.

Johnson (H) defeated Roberts, 6-3.

Hardin (H) defeated Henry, 6-1, 6-0.

McGehee (H) defeated Rosenfeld, 6-0, 6-1.

Geisel (H) defeated Olson, 6-1, 6-0.

Doubles  
Applegate and Henry (P) defeated Turner and Johnson, 6-3, 7-5.

Hardin and P. Holzman (H) defeated Evans and Roberts, 4-6, 6-3, 6-1.

Biggs and Peter Holzman (H) defeated Simons and Rosenfeld, 6-4, 7-5.

Final score: Hill Jayvees 7, Perkiomen Prep 2.

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Derby Talk Still Buzzes

### Dark Star Joins Native Dancer At Belmont to Train for Preakness

NEW YORK, May 6 (UPI)—Derby controversy between jockeys Eric winner Dark Star joined Native Guerin and Al Popara, the latter Dancer at Belmont Park today, aboard Money Broker who bumped where their trainers mapped plans Native Dancer on the first turn for the strategy leading up to their Saturday next meeting in the \$100,000 Preakness at Baltimore May 23.

"The Derby is history and we have the Preakness on our hands now," said Winfrey.

He had read where Guerin claimed the bumping by Money Broker "was no accident," and of Popara's reply that it "definitely was not intentional."

"Our colt shipped here in fine shape," said Ed Hayward who trains the Cain Hoy stable as the Cain Hoy stable's Derby hero arrived by train from Louisville.

"It looks as if we'll make Dark Star's next start the Preakness Prep." The Prep, over the mile and one-sixteenth distance, is May 18. The Preakness, middle gem in the Derby - Preakness - Belmont triple crown, is a mile and three sixteenths, a sixteenth less than the Derby.

HORSEMEN figured the bumping cost Native Dancer several lengths in throwing him off stride. Popara actually is under a ten days suspension for rough riding in winning the seventh race at Churchill Downs last Thursday with Jet Fleet. Under Kentucky rules, however, he was permitted to ride in his stakes engagements.

### Cards Play Earlier

ST. LOUIS, May 6 (UPI)—The St. Louis Cardinals today announced their all night games during their 17-mile at Belmont May 6, then the game home stand this month will begin at 9 p.m. (Pottstown time).

Trainer Bill Winfrey, still dis- refused to be drawn into the con-

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Mr. and Mrs. William C. Berkey, "Four Pines," entertained with a Welsh, Mrs. J. Hansell French pantry shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. J. Douglas Moyer, Norristown. The guests saw movies and slides during the evening.

The guests included: Mrs. William H. Miller, Mrs. Alfred Crawford, Mrs. Charles Hirsch, Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Moyer, Mrs. Joseph Chapple, Mrs. Charles G. Gratz, Doris Shirar, Mrs. Roy C. Shirar, Ruth Miller and Sharon Rae Berkey.

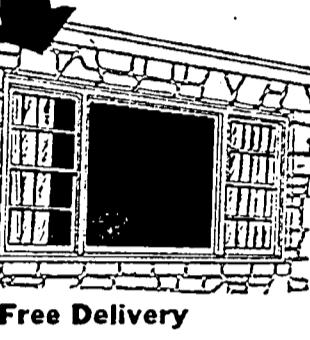
Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Siomko, Fern avenue and Ridge Pike, observed their third wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Paul Townsend, Pittsburgh, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wisler, School House Lane.

MR. AND MRS. HOWARD MELVIN SMITH celebrated their third



MAKING FRIENDS—Sightless Jadwiga Kolokowski "sees" with her sensitive fingers as she makes friends with a baby duck, at the Wonder-land Farm zoo in south Ozone park, Queens, N. Y. Sister Floretta of the Lavelle School for the Blind looks on. Jadwiga was among 60 sightless children visiting a zoo for the first time.



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wedding anniversary. Mrs. Smith's former Nancy Bickhart, Norristown.

Mrs. J. Robert McMullin, Evansburg road, is serving as chairman for the Salvation Army drive in Pottstown.

The following women in our community were prize winners in the daffodil show held in Stewart

Christian Mother's club held its April meeting at the home of its president, Mrs. Harry Leopold, Limerick.

Plans were completed for a "husbands night banquet" to be held at Mooreheads restaurant, Saturday evening, June 13. Mrs. E. Wesley Smith and Mrs. Eugene Runyan, Evansburg, will be the hostesses for the May meeting.

Members present were: Mrs. William Berstler, Mrs. Robert Bickel, Mrs. Jacob Bowman, Mrs. Howard Chittick, Mrs. Horace Evans, Mrs. Joseph Hallman, Mrs. Richard Hoisington, Mrs. John T. Hughes, Mrs. Harry Leopold, Mrs. Thomas Malin, Mrs. Robert McCahan, Mrs. Howard Michener, Mrs. James Obold, Mrs. Ray Rohe, Mrs. Eugene Runyan, Mrs. Roy Shirar and Mrs. Donald Yerkes.

Pvt. Warren Nester has returned to Seattle, Wash., after spending a nine-day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Nester. He has been assigned to the Far Eastern command. Pvt. Nester has been in the service for five

months and graduated with highest honors from cooking school.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Wells McCormick and children, Charlotte, Bobby and DeeDee, have returned home from a stay in Florida. Mrs. McCormick's mother, Mrs.

Thomas Messert, Philadelphia, is spending the week with the McCormick family.

EXECUTIVE PLEADS GUILTY

SCRANTON, May 6 (P) — Charles Raine, '76, president of the Frisbie Throwing company, Dickinson City, today pleaded guilty before Federal Judge John W. Murphy to evading payment of \$23,719 in personal and corporation income taxes.

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7	Jack Pyle Show	News: Weather	News: Weather	News: Mac McGuire
8	News: Music	News	Rise and Shine	Comedy
9	Jack Pyle Show	That Man Sears	News: Start The Day Right	News: Mac McGuire
10	News: Jack Pyle Show	News	Mac McGuire	Mac McGuire
11	Ruth Welles	Mother Hubbard	Mornin Extras	Mornin Extras
	Kitchen Club	Cinderella Weekend	Breakfast Club	Kitchen Kapers
	Happy Clarks	Women Only	School	School
	Welcome Travelers	Market	Happiness Keys	Happiness Keys
	Double or Nothing	Arthur Godfrey	Whisper's Street	Mailbox Wax Works
	Strike It Rich	Arthur Godfrey	When Girl Weds	Ladies Fair
	Phrase Pays	Women Only	Little Show	Friend in Need
	Bob Hope	Bob Hope	Queen For A Day	Queen For A Day

AFTERNOON

12	News: Bob Benson	Wendy Warren	News: Aunt Jenny	Curt Master
1	-	Hele Trent	Today's Topics	Eddie Fisher
2	Anne Lee	Our Gal Sunday	Mr. Lucky	News: Baukhus
3	Ruth Welles	Road of Life	Mary Jones	Happiness Keys
4	News: Welles	Ma Perkins	Mac McGuire	Mary Biddle
5	Jack Pyle	Miss Fortune	Third Years	Jack Creamer
6	Jack Pyle	Guiding Light	The Wifflers	Paula Stone Listener
7	Mrs. Burton	Mr. and Mrs.	Lee Stewart	Jeff Williams & Harry Smith
8	Perry Mason	Nora Drake	Top of Afternoon	"
9	Brighouse Day	Arthur Godfrey	Music	"
10	Lee's Beautiful Road of Life	Hilltop House	Top of Afternoon	Music
11	Pepper Young	House Party	News: New	Music
12	Hilltop House	Shopping Fun	Top of Afternoon	Music
13	Backstage Wife	Block Party	News: New	Music
14	Widder Brown	Bandstand	Top of Afternoon	Music
15	Woman in House	Arthur Godfrey	Memories Lane	Sgt. Preston of the Sky King
16	Plain Bill	Bob Horn	Bandstand	"
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will appreciate having its attention  
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## LEGAL NOTICES 11

NOTICE  
Collegeville-Trappe Joint  
School Board requests bids for  
its requirements for Fuel Oil for  
the school year 1953-54.  
Specification may be secured  
from Harvey R. Kuyer, Super-  
visor Principal, First Avenue,  
Trappe, Phone Collegeville 7-3777  
DR. D. D. STURGIS,  
SecretarySEALED BIDS. The Douglass  
Township School Board, Mont-  
gomery County, Pa., will receive  
sealed bids as follows: 45 tons of  
Oak Hill Coal at the Ginko  
School House and 30  
tons of Oak Hill Buckwheat Coal  
at the Congo School House.Bids for School Supplies for  
the Congo and Ginko School  
Supplies for the Congo and Ginko  
Schools will be furnished for  
both schools upon request by  
order.Coal School and Janitor Sup-  
plies to be delivered on or before  
Sept. 1st, 1953. Bids to be in  
the hands of the Sec'y. 7-3777  
R. M. S. M. on Sept. 21, 1953, when  
said bids will be opened at the  
Congo School House.The Board reserves the right  
to reject any part of bid sub-  
mitted.By order of the Douglas Trappe  
School Board.Harvey Kuyer, Sec'y.  
Sassamansville, Pa.THE TENTATIVE ANNUAL  
BUDGETfor the 1953-54 School Year of  
Douglas Township School District,  
Montgomery County, Pa., is available  
for inspection at the home of  
the Sec'y. Sassamansville, Pa.  
Adoption date is set for May  
21st, 1953 at 7:30 P.M. E.D.T.The School Board of Douglas  
School District announced its in-  
tention to levy a per capita tax  
of \$5.00 in addition to the \$5.00  
levied under Section 651, Section  
102, and Code of 1949 and its  
Amendments. Authorization to  
levy such additional per capita  
tax of \$5.00 (total \$10.00) is  
found in Act 481, General As-  
sembly of 1947, and its Amend-  
ments, which levy of such tax  
will be made on the date above  
mentioned, at the Congo School  
House, Congo, Pa. When the  
budget is adopted and tax levied  
for the school year 1953-54, total  
levy of additional tax less than  
the limitation provided in Act  
481.(Also the following)  
Act No. 193 amends Section  
650 of the Public School Code  
of 1949 by adding Clause (B) re-  
quiring every resident or inhabitant  
of the school district upon  
attaining the age of twenty-one  
years or age or over becoming  
resident or inhabitant of the  
district to notify the proper  
assessor of this fact within  
twelve months thereafter. Failure  
to comply with this requirement  
subjects the individual to pen-  
alty equal to the tax for which  
he is liable. The board of school  
directors is required to give up  
notice of this obligation imposed  
upon residents or inhabitants  
together with the name and ad-  
dress of the assessor to be noti-  
fied at the time that the board  
gives public notice of a proposed  
budget. Assessor: Thomas Meek,  
Bechtelsville, RD 1, Pa.DOUGLASS TOWNSHIP SCHOOL  
DISTRICT  
HARVEY TAGERT Sec'y.  
Sassamansville, Pa.

## Farmer's Market

PHILADELPHIA PRODUCE  
PHILADELPHIA, May 5 (AP)  
Under truck receipts were light  
but more than ample to meet the  
low demand which prevailed on  
the wholesale produce market to-  
day. Asparagus, N. J. crates dozen  
bundles \$3.0048.00. Spinach, N. J.  
no. 20415. Mushrooms, Pa. 4 qt.  
baskets \$60.40. Radishes, N. J.  
lusc 2140c bunches 7585c. 4/5  
crates 36c and 40c \$0.00. Del. 16-  
oz. Scales, N. J. Various greens, N. J.  
bunches \$4.36. Scallions, N. J.  
36c cents. Scallions, N. J. per  
bunch 1-3 cents. Spring onions  
31/2 cents. Strawberries, Va.  
Pasture shore sec. 24-45. crates Black-  
more, 36.0048.60. Pears, Pa. and  
N. J. bunches 12-16 oz. 40c \$0.00.  
Various greens, N. J. bushels Broccoli, Pa. 16c  
bunches \$1.00. Apples, Bushels  
and boxes 12-16 oz. 40c \$0.00.  
Various greens, N. J. bushels  
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greens, N. J. bushels 12-16 oz. 40c  
cents. Watercress, Pa. per bunch 31/2  
cents.

HARLEYSVILLE AUCTION

Live Poultry  
High Low Avg.  
Pork-Leghorn .... 27c 22c 25c  
Pork-Colored .... 38c 32c 34c  
Pullet-Col. over 4 43c 28c 37  
Pork-Col. under 4 29c 27c 32  
Roasters-Col. .... 35c 22c 28  
Cips-Cpn Clp. over 5 ..... 32c 20c 30  
under 5 ..... 35c 24c 29  
Springer-Col. .... 35c 28c 32  
Pork-Leg. .... 31c 23c 25  
Broilers-Col. .... 35c 31c 33c  
Ducks ..... 38c 34c 35c  
Turkey Hen ..... 55c 44c 57  
Turkey Tom ..... 37c 37c 37  
Rabbits ..... 41c 24c 41  
Pigeons-Per Pair. 42c 60 73  
Total Crates Sold-1529THE MERCURY'S  
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## LEGAL NOTICES 11

NOTICE is hereby given that the  
proposed budget for the Lower  
Pottstown Township School Dis-  
trict for the fiscal year 1953-54  
has been prepared and available  
for inspection in the office of  
the Supervisor of Schools, 100  
Main Street, Pottstown, Pa.  
Budget will be finally adopted at  
a meeting of the School Board at  
the above office on Monday,  
June 1, 1953 at 8:00 P. M. D.D.T.  
In the event of a tie vote, the  
vote of the Supervisor of Schools  
will be the deciding factor.  
Friends may call at the Schumacher Funeral  
Home, Wednesday evening, to  
see the budget. (Schumacher)TROUT—On Monday, May 4, 1953  
Paul W. son of Warren and  
Helen (Long) Trout, aged 33  
years, Relatives and friends  
invited to the services from the  
Hannan Funeral Home, 112 N.  
Washington Street on Thursday,  
May 7, at 1:30 P. M. Interment  
in Becker's St. Peter's Reformed  
Church cemetery, Mowen  
Springs, Pa. Friends may call  
Wednesday evening, 7 to 9  
(Houck)

## Card of Thanks

SASSAMAN

We wish to thank relatives,  
neighbors and friends for the  
many acts of kindness shown  
for sympathy and aid  
in the funeral of Sallie D. Sassa-  
man. The FAMILY.

## SINCERE THANKS

To the many friends who re-  
membered me during my stay in  
the Mowen Springs Sanatorium  
especially the Spokane Quoits Club for  
their generous gifts and cards.  
WILLIAM H. MACE  
547 E Howard St., Sioux

## ESCHBACH

The family of the late Edward  
H. Eschbach desires to thank  
the kind neighbors and friends  
for the assistance and sympathy  
the floral tribute and use of  
car offered during their recent  
bereavement.

## In Memoriam

KELLIUS—Charles S. In loving  
memory of our darling son who  
entered into rest one year ago  
today. Always in our thoughts dear Charlie  
For ever will he be  
in our hearts. We'll miss him  
so much. I often sit and speak of you  
and think of how you died.  
To think you didn't ever have  
a chance to live. Please pray for us.  
For all the love you did for us.  
My God grant you eternal rest.  
Saddly missed, but God knows best  
MOTHER and DAD

## Monuments—Cemetery Lots 6

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## Notice

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Road and Hanover St. Bridge,  
on Tuesdays. Phone 2815-W.FOUND—Groceries in  
Limerick Town-Hip  
Phone Schwenksville 4534

## ANNUAL MEETING

Of the Family Welfare Society  
which is located in the Kulp  
Building, Tunkhannock, Tuesday,  
May 13, 1953 at 7:30 P. M. All those  
interested in the work of the  
Society are cordially invited.

## BUSINESS GUIDE

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Deaths

—On Tuesday, May 5, 1953,  
Alice G. husband of Mary (nee  
Reiko) Fries, aged 63 years. Rela-  
tives and friends are invited to  
the services from the White  
Memorial Home, Parkside on  
Saturday at 2 P. M. Interment  
in Mt. Zion Cemetery. Friends  
may call at the Funeral Home  
Friday evening 7 to 8:30.  
(White)

## By George McManus





## Obituaries

JOHN D. KOPCHO, one-day-old son of John and Marie (Maccarone) Kopcho, 878 QUEEN STREET, died yesterday morning at 5 a. m. in Memorial hospital.

Surviving are the parents and the maternal grandparents, Samuel and Anna Maccarone, Los Angeles, Calif.

Funeral services in charge of a funeral home at 726 High street will be held today at the convenience of the family. The Rev. John D. Tapich, rector of St. John's Catholic church of the Greek rite, will officiate.

Interment will be made in St. John's church cemetery.

Military services for EDWARD H. EISCHBACH, husband of Estella R. (Kepner) Eschbach, 765 WALNUT STREET, were held yesterday at 2 p. m. from a funeral home at 404 High street.

The Rev. Martin J. Brinton, pastor of First Methodist church, officiated.

Honor guard on Tuesday night consisted of Paul Lysoby, Earl F. Antrim, James Bolton, Clarence H. Renoll, Smith McAllister, Kenneth Burk and Paul Surma.

Graveside services yesterday were conducted by Ned Simpson, chaplain, assisted by Paul Lysoby.

Edward Pierman and Wynfield Hetrick formed the color guard. The firing squad included Kenneth Burk (captain), John Suchozza, Thomas Kaas, Earl F. Antrim, James Bolton and Charles Morris.

Interment was made in Highland Memorial park.

Bearers, all members of Spicer Manufacturing division Quarter Century club, were Osborne Jeffries, Harry C. O'Neal, William Walker, George B. Ellis, Paul Pollick and Herbert Beam.

Private services were held for PHOEBE E. THOMAS of 328 WALNUT STREET yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from a funeral home at 711 North Franklin street with the Rev. A. Burts Hallock Jr., pastor of the First Presbyterian church officiating.

Cremation in Reading followed the services.

## MOTHER'S DAY —

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the children carry them home to mother on Friday.

Other classes are making colored cards with such fond inscriptions as "to the sweetest mother," and some are working on gay paper flowers which will be carried home in colored paper baskets.

Mrs. Phyllis L. Good's Third graders at the Franklin school are working on cards decorated with Spring flowers, and Jefferson school Third graders are spending their art periods with teacher Mrs. Doris G. Larson in the same way.

A few classes around town have even gone in for decorating the containers in which they've planted their gift flowers.

A TIN CAN is just a tin can when it's filled with beans, they discovered, but when painted with a gay design and filled with flowers it becomes a graceful vase.

Mrs. Ethel D. Weeber is working with her pupils at the Rupert school on very unusual gift for mother, but since it's to be a surprise, all she would say is that it's not a picture, a card or a flower, but something like one of them.

Pupils of Mrs. Florence Mancorne at the Jefferson building will have a Mother's Day program on Friday afternoon before presenting their gifts to mother.

The children will sing and recite for the proud mothers, who have been invited to the school to hear them and receive their gifts.

About half the blindness in the United States could have been prevented by proper care says the National Society for the Prevention of Blindness.

Wonderful Relief for ITCHING SKIN!

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• Mother's Day . . .

May 10

No lovelier gift for Mother than the one she's been dreaming about! All our merchandise is designed to flatter, keep her pretty and happy all through summer.

Betty Lee

## CANVASS SET —

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members of the park. All funds donated are deductible from income taxes, he added.

LAMB COMMENTED that it would be an excellent idea if all industries and clubs donated one dollar for each service—man on their rolls.

The park was established in 1944 in memory of all Pottstown servicemen and women who served in all wars, principally those in World War II.

To date, the mortgage on the property has been reduced to \$500, and each year more recreation and amusement facilities are being added to the grounds.

Solicitors include West End:

Howard K. Jameson, captain; Charles Stout and Earl R. Strange, co-captains; Second ward, Robert Reis, captain, and the Rev. Laurance Beers, co-captain; Third ward, Robert Bower, captain, and Leonard Keefer, co-captain;

Fourth ward, Earl Antrim, captain, and Paul Anderson, co-captain.

Fifth ward, Leon Hausman, captain, and John W. Linderman, co-captain; Sixth ward, Mrs. John Morrell, captain; Mrs. Herb Bomer and Mrs. Joseph Hunsicker, co-captains, and J. Max Creswell; Seventh ward, Austin O. Sundrum, captain; William A. Griffith, Donald Hatfield and Potter E. Beasley, co-captains.

Eighth ward, John Fraser, captain, and Walter Schwab, co-captain; Ninth ward, Carroll Bechtel Sr., captain, Mrs. Stella Johnson, Mrs. Ruth Emery and Earl Bicer, co-captains, and Tenth ward, Harry Wilson, captain, and William H. Yohn, co-captain.

Other officers in charge of the campaign are: Ned O. Simpson, president; Sidney Pollock, vice-president; Mrs. Johnson, secretary; Lester Baum, treasurer; Edward Sweeney and Pollock, co-chairman of special gifts committee.

## Contracts Awarded in Upper Uwchlan

Upper Uwchlan supervisors last night awarded stone and asphalt contracts for the next year.

Keystone Trapp Rock company, Glen Moore, was awarded the contract for crushed stone and the Norristown Bituminous company received the contract for asphalt.

Supervisors met for two hours in the Windsor school, from 8 to 10 p. m.

President Arthur Greene was in charge. Supervisors Oscar G. Darlington and Edward W. Seabold Jr. were present.

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60c Worth of Flower Seeds FREE

## Driver Committed to Jail In Default of \$500 Bail

A Philadelphia motorist was committed to the borough lockup yesterday afternoon in default of \$500 bail after he was arrested in Lower Pottsgrove township for drunken driving.

Chief Harry Chrusch arrested James White, Philadelphia, at 3:15 p. m. on Route 422.

A hearing will be held before Ringing Hill Justice of the Peace George W. Bause at 10 o'clock this morning.

## DROP CHARGES —

(Continued From Page One)

WHAT WE TEACH them here is—you reap what you sow in this life," he went on. "We illustrate that truth with examples from the Bible, although we don't teach church doctrines as such."

The Youth Center has no membership rolls or dues collections, and is supported by voluntary gifts," Hallman said.

HECK ALLEGEDLY was awaiting the outcome of the hearing to determine whether he would charge Laghi with assault and battery and false arrest.

Griffith told Heck at yesterday's session he had not been in trouble in the past and asked the men to bury the hatchet and forget the arrest.

Heck reportedly withdrew charges and Heck promised not to file charges against Laghi or the borough. The two men shook hands at the conclusion of the conference.

Heck reportedly still carries the scars of the fracas.

Despite his alleged physical beating he drove his racing 'cycle at Washington, D. C. polo race on Sunday. He finished second in his heat and was third in the 18-lap, nine-mile race.

Laughead reportedly told Laghi there are two sides to every story.

The thoroughbred stallions Sir Gallahad III and Bull Dog were brothers and both highly successful sires.

## Attention!

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## YOUTH CENTER —

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tracts and supervised the construction of the large white building on the drive.

His purpose in founding the center was, as he expressed it, "to try and bring the fear of the Lord before our young people—not just fear of the law."

"Our program is a recreational one with a religious basis," he explained. "We are not a church, as some probably think, but we do urge young people who come here to join the church of their choice."

THE LIMERICK BOARD —

(Continued From Page One)

four-year term and re-elected Harry Y. Leopold to a second term as treasurer for one year.

Wood is a Democrat and Leopold a Republican. The secretary receives \$300 annual salary and the treasurer \$200.

The board adopted a budget resolution calling for expenditure of \$182,370 and receipts of \$185,500. The 27-mill property tax will continue. Besides a pending real estate transfer tax there is a \$5 per capita levy, which was reduced from \$10 this past month.

Directors accepted the resignation of Mrs. Hazel Michaels and elected Arden Benfield, a resident of Upper Providence township, to fill her teaching assignment next Fall.

SUPERVISING PRINCIPAL Howard A. Michener is seeking one more teacher to complete his faculty for the beginning of the 1953-54 term.

Registration day for First graders, who will enter school next Fall, will be held at the Church road school all day on May 27. Classes for the present term will end on June 5.

A \$1139 contract for school supplies was awarded to Harry A. Keene, King and Charlotte streets.

Directors voted to conduct next month's meeting on June 10 instead of June 3. This move was made because of a legal complication surrounding the establishment of a 1 percent real estate transfer tax.

Last night they voted their intention to levy the tax.

They now must wait at least 30 days to adopt the tax. That period will expire by the June 10 meeting. On July 10, the tax will go into effect.

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★ **WONDERS**—Pottstown lad James M. McBride Jr., who's serving with the air force in Korea, thinks the US should stay in Korea and "get it over with". He wrote "a few of his thoughts" while spending his last months in the war-torn East. He expects to leave Korea June 7 and will be back in Pottstown around July 1. His new assignment is Alexandria, La., air force base. In part, McBride writes under the title "Is It Worth It?" from Suwon: "We are exchanging prisoners with the Communists and furthering our true talks. Looks good doesn't it? If all goes well peace, or at least truce, should be forthcoming. But have you stopped to analyze the situation? . . .

"WE ARE EXCHANGING 600 Reds for one UN prisoner. Quite a deal eh? Never before in the history of diplomacy has a nation the size and power of the US or a group of nations the size and power of the UN ever settled for such outrageous terms. What is the matter with our top brass? Have they lost all sense and prospectus? We spent and are now spending untold millions, in the Korean "police action", and what have we to show for it? Nothing! Not one thing! . . .

★ **"WE ARE INFORMED** by the Republic of Korea that they will settle for no less than a united Korea with a government of the people's choice, with no Chinese. Even if they have to go it alone. Some people believe this stand of the Republic of Korea to be wrong. Why? What is so wrong with a people wanting their country united and a government of their choice? We wanted it in 1776 and fought for it. We still want it and will fight any nation who tries to change it. As a member of the UN we are over here fighting for it. So why not finish what we came here to do and get it over with? . . .

"NO! WE HAVE to spend money and time letting a few bigots use congressional immunity to slander people for using one of the freedoms granted under the bill of rights, freedom of the press. Just because a man disagrees with one of our elected representatives in the Senate he is called before a committee and intimidated. Is that what we fought for in 1776 or are fighting for now? Why the next thing you know these people will be calling everyone who is serving, or has served, in Korea Reds just because we were in a place where there were Reds. . . .

★ **"ON APRIL 25** a newspaper editor was questioned secretly by the senate investigating sub-committee. Questioned or intimidated? And why secretly? Why questioned at all? As taxpayers and voters we have a right to know what goes on in our legislative branches of the government. Sometimes I wonder, is it worth it? How can we expect to preserve the democratic way of life at home and abroad when we can't even keep a few bigoted, radical, mud slingers from throwing everything we've fought for out the window? . . . Is it worth it?"

## YOUR HEALTH

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

WE HAVE all heard and read about tuberculosis and know how serious a lung disease it might prove to be. Equally serious is another lung disease known as bronchiectasis.

This is a disease which often becomes chronic if neglected in the early stages, affecting the bronchi, the tubes leading to the air sacs in the lung. . . .

When the lower portions of these tubes are infected they become distorted in size, making them lose their normal elasticity.

The person with bronchiectasis complains of a great deal of coughing for many months and years. He coughs up a foul sputum containing pus and perhaps blood.

This lung disease occurs very often in childhood following childhood diseases such as whooping cough, measles and influenza. These diseases may infect the tubes leading to the lung sacs, making them less elastic and obstructing the normal breathing process.

Many people suffering from bronchiectasis just complain of chronic repeated attacks of "heavy chest colds."

At one time it was thought this disease was a progressive one—that is, one that inevitably grows worse. However, it has recently been shown that bronchiectasis sometimes causes only slight symptoms and slight evidence of any disease process.

People with this form of the disease live a fairly normal life except for a chronic cough and some chest pain. They would do well in most cases to avoid smoking.

In fact, 75 percent of people with the disease do not have any physical handicap from it. However, because of it, they sometimes have repeated attacks of pneumonia.

At present, the symptoms caused by bronchiectasis may be helped with the newer antibiotic drugs, which reduce the infection of the tubes leading to the air sacs. Sometimes antibiotics can be given by inhalation.

When the disease is progressive, however, it may be necessary to remove a portion of the diseased lung to prevent the infection from spreading. Modern chest surgery has developed so that small diseased portions of the lung can be removed safely.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

A. D.: I have a severe duodenal ulcer which has bled on four occasions. I am 44 years old. Is surgery necessary?

Answer: In your particular case, since you have had four episodes of bleeding and have not responded well to the medical management of your ulcer, surgery would probably be the best choice for you in the treatment of the ulcer, so as to avoid further complications.



## Hollywood

By EDITH GWYNN

HOLLYWOOD, May 6 — Piper Laurie, supposed to join Debbie Reynolds in South America and then fly to Africa to "pre-side" at a theater celebration, has

cancel out on both trips. She's been quite ill since returning from her entertaining jaunt in Korea, and medics had ordered complete rest for three weeks . . . Sheldon Reynolds, whose TV film series, "Foreign Intrigue" has caused

favorable comment for years, comes to Hollywood soon to scout talent for his first feature-length movie. Jane Greer is one gal he

seeks to be in "The Four Who Dared," which Reynolds will film in Paris and Stockholm this Summer . . . In Paris, Zsa Zsa Gabor, after reading those statements her friend (?) Pamela Mason made about Hollywood men, is asking people, "How dare Pamela

give out an interview that all American men are poor lovers, bad dressers and vain. She hasn't met every man in America!" . . .

1. He is a United States Air Force officer who has been recently appointed Air Force director of operations. He was born in Emblem, Tex., on Sept. 9, 1905. He was commissioned a second lieutenant in 1928, and has been promoted through the grades to major general in 1948. He was commanding general of the V Bomber Command; chief of staff, XXI Bomber Command; commanding general of the XX Bomber Command, 88th Bomb Wing, Task Group Five. He was also appointed assistant to the deputy chief of the United States Staff for Operations. What is his name?

2. Born in the tiny town of Pogar, Russia on April 9, 1888, he came to the United States in 1905, and was naturalized in 1914. He began his career as a manager of weekly concerts in New York City, and has since been impresario for many famous ballerinas, musicians and dancers, including the late dancer Anna Pavlova, the noted singer Feodor Chaliapin, dancer Isadora Duncan and others. Not so long ago a motion picture in Technicolor came to the screen depicting his life. It was titled, "Tonight We Sing." Who is this man?

3. Names at bottom of column

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Archibald MacLeish, poet, and

former librarian of the Library of

Congress; Gary Cooper, Oscar win-

ning motion picture actor, and

Anne Baxter, actress, have birth-

days today.

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1. They were all American au-

thors.

2. The GDR, Hugo Knecht, 2, 801

## Pottstown Sketches



"Just like a real kid—you tell it what to do and it does just the opposite."

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## In Nightingale's Footsteps

NURSING is an opportunity that knocks twice.

If you are 18 to 35, there's an opportunity to fill a big need in Pennsylvania. There's a dire shortage of nurses, one of the noblest of professions.

If you are 18 to 35, you may enroll as a student nurse. If you are 35 to 55, you may help by enrolling as a student in a course of practical nursing.

The Pennsylvania State Nurses' association, which has many Pottstown members, recommends either course. A present, Pennsylvania ranks 45th out of the 48 states in the percentage of its total registered nurses who are actively engaged in nursing!

In 1951, 26,800 nurses were employed in Pennsylvania; approximately 12,000 of these were employed in hospitals and schools of nursing.

There is no question that the current nursing needs are beyond the present realized resources by almost 9,000 nurses.

Actually there are 51,600 licensed registered nurses in the state, about one-half are actively employed in nursing.

The problem is to bring enough of the inactive nurses back into active practice to fulfill the needs of the state and the community.

Planned expansion of hospitals throughout the state will produce 4570 more hospital beds and further emphasizes the necessity for finding more nurses. Here in Pottstown both hospitals will be enlarged. This expands the need from 30,000 to 10,610 nurse vacancies in the state.

At present, Pennsylvania has 112 schools of nursing, 108 of which offer diploma programs and four offering degree programs.

In a recent survey made by the PSNA, it was estimated that one-fourth of the 112 accredited schools in Pennsylvania anticipated a shortage of student nurse quotas by 94 percent.

This means that with a quota of 5,200 students the shortage will amount to above 490.

Cost is a known factor accounting for shortage. Tuition alone is estimated slightly over a \$100 a year.

Another grave problem found in the survey is the large number of vacancies for prepared teaching personnel. The anticipated hospital expansion will only increase this shortage.

Advanced preparation is expensive to the nurse; for full time college attendance means cessation of income. If she attends college on a part time basis, working and going to school, the time element presents a serious problem for she is needed NOW.

The general picture of the nursing resources of the Commonwealth is that this state now produces almost one-tenth of the nurses in the country, but is unable to hold them.

In 1949 Pennsylvania lost 2,411 nurses while New York state gained 2,333. Other surrounding states had much smaller losses or gained a few.

A minimum number of students from other states come to Pennsylvania for the nursing course and return to their home state to work.

Perhaps the main reason is that historically Pennsylvania has had lower employment standards for nurses than the surrounding states.

The PSNA has had an active economic security program for the past six years. The employment conditions for all nurses in the state are gradually being improved.

Pennsylvania's loss of nurses in 1950 was about one-half of that in 1949. It has 8 percent less active nurses than the national average.

There are approximately 25,000 inactive nurses now registered in Pennsylvania. Of these, some are unemployable due to dependent children or some type of handicap.

In the age group from 30 to 44 years, usually considered the most employable, there are 12,500 nurses, more than enough to fulfill all our needs, both present and anticipated.

The technique to attract nurses to active duty must be evolved. Nursing must be made worth their while both professionally and financially.

## Where We Stand

AMERICAN industry today has the highest wages and shortest working hours in the world, and its men and women produce more goods in 40 hours than their fathers of the last generation could turn out in 60 hours.

## Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS, May 6.

Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by the papers where Ameri-can cigarettes sell for 58 cents a pack in Paris. This should make it easy for Frenchmen to keep their non-smoking New Year resolution.

An item says the pop-up waffle iron now joins the pop-up toaster. Things sure are jumping around breakfast time these days!

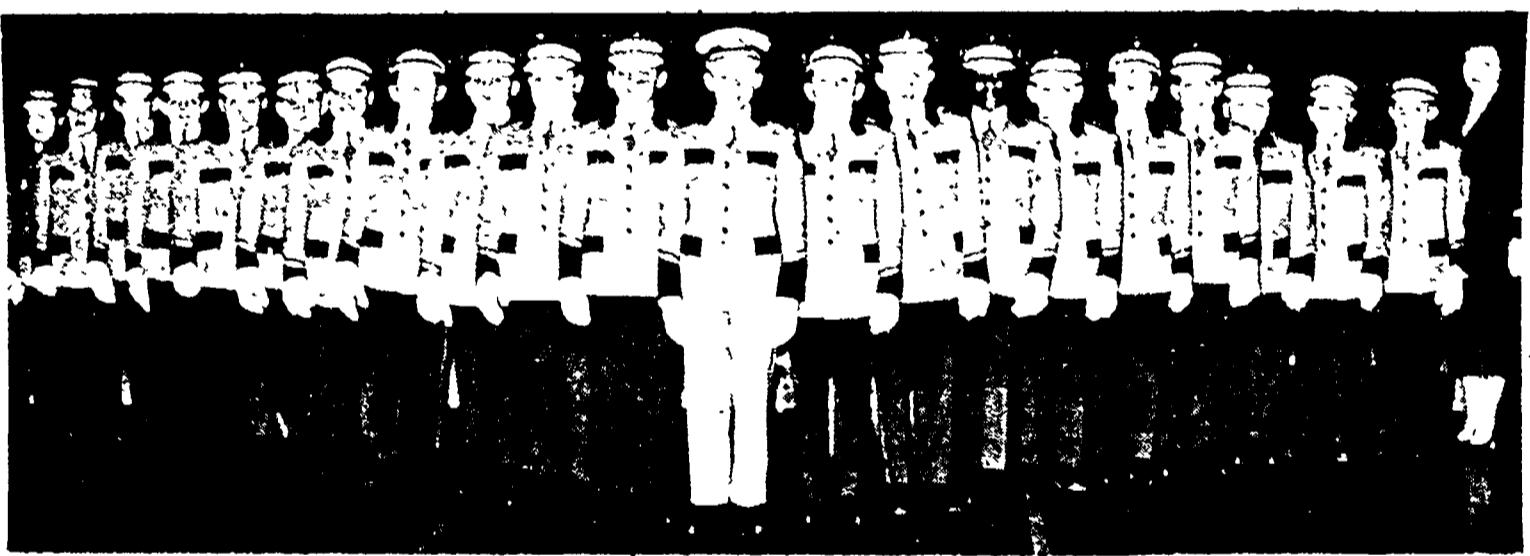
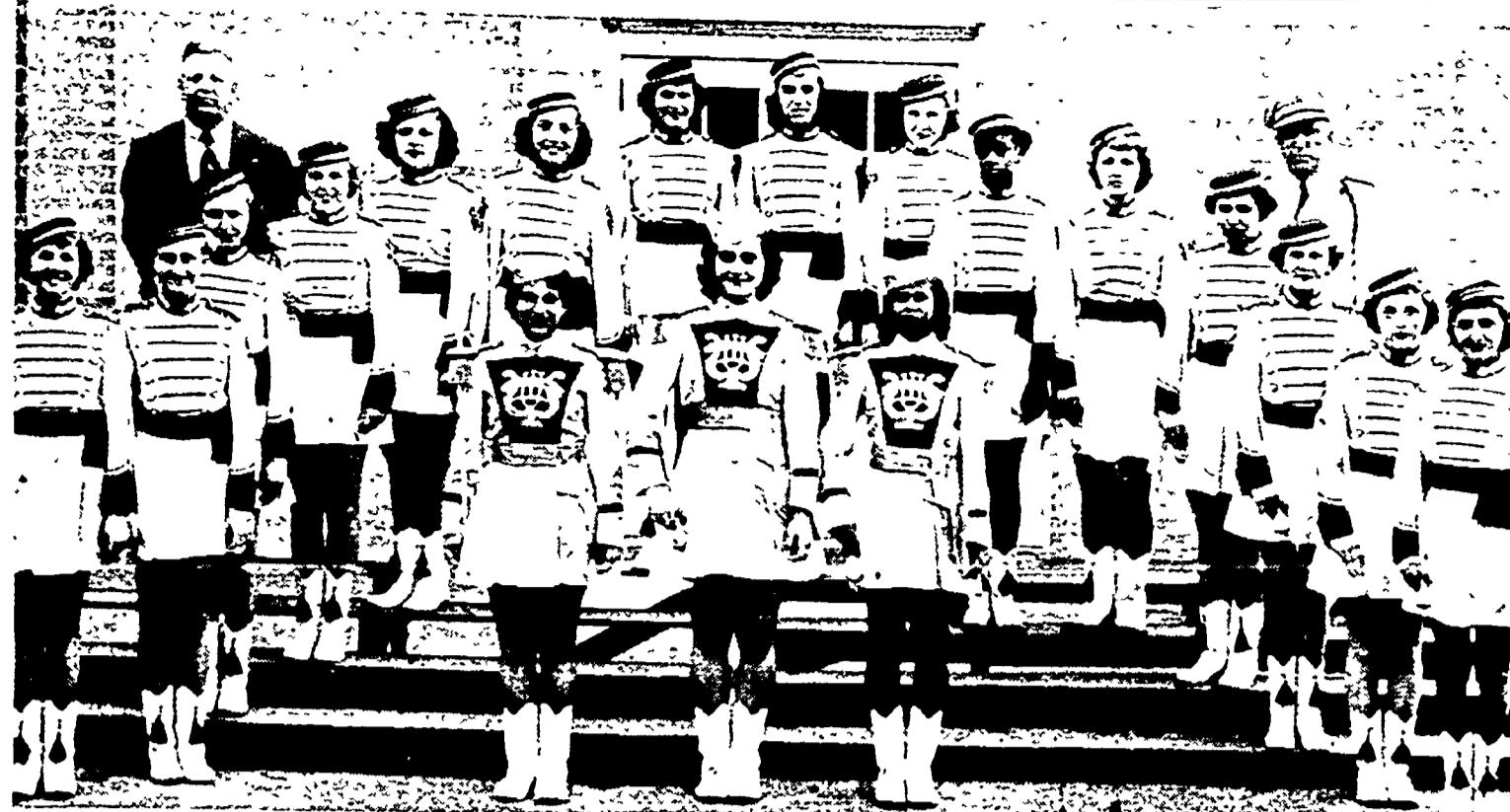
And say: A hearty and frequent guffaw, says a doctor, can be an excellent builder of health. That puts an end to that old phrase of "laughing oneself sick!"

Hopin' you air the same,

GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

Editor, The Mercury.

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## Drill Teams Set to Vie for Honors

In the four pictures above are Kraatz, Muriel Young; Juniors, Patricia Graham, Beverly Lance, best drill teams in the country. All four teams will take part in the 17th annual School Safety Patrol parade and competitions in Washington, D. C. tomorrow and Saturday.

In the top photo are represented the Pottstown Senior High school twirlers. The three girls in the center are, left to right, Martha Shea, Ruth Schlichter, and Claudia Clifford.

Forming the arch are, left to right, Gay Smith, Joan Sterner, Doris Wilson, Barbara Greiner, Janet Frankenburg, Georgann Jacobs, Joan Oermoyer, Marion Knapp, Barbara Kells, Bertrice White, Romona Derry, Phyllis Shaffey, Marlene Miller, Marlene Ellis, and Elsie Dindino.

Standing on the left is Safety Patrol program director Earl R. Strange and on the right is Senior High school band director Lester Smith.

In the second photo from the top are the girls of the Schwenkville drill team, defending champions in their division. The members of that unit are as follows: Seniors, Louise Haines, June

the past year.

IN THE bottom picture are the members of the Pottstown Boys Elementary drill team.

They are, left to right, Bruce Fryer, Donald Stouch, Jared Krause, Barry Bickel, Chester Kowalski, Matthew John, Robert Krauch, Daner Reider, Peter Chomnik, Thomas Sheperak, James Harberger, Carl Dengler, Capt. James Van Zandt, David Harvey, Ronald Brauch, Sage Glenn.

Also, Thomas Mest, Richard Miser, David Wistler, Clair Kochel, Galen Fritz, Harry Richards, and Mrs. Ralph Schwenk, director.

This boys' team took the top prize in the class the past year.

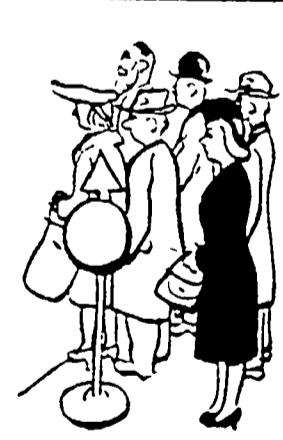
IN THE THIRD picture are the members of the Pottstown Elementary Girls' drill team.

They are, left to right, Sallie Schadt, Joann Bartman, Judy Umstead, Linda Kaslak, Eandra Kruk, Kathleen Shaner, Carol Bougher, Judy Yost, Margaret Scheffy, Peggy Rhoads, Margery Sweda.

Also, Jane Wetherhold, Joan Lipko, Toni Mariano, Phyllis Edgcombe, Linda Richard, Sara Morrell, Susan Kruk, Helen Christ, Terry Cisick, Tina Cimbalista, and Mrs. Elizabeth Stephens, director.

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THEY'LL SEEK TOP HONORS—Members of the Pottstown Senior High Girls drill team who'll be out to capture honors in this weekend's national AAA Safety Patrol contest are, from left to right, front row, Monica Katch, Shirley Smith, Mary Jo Czarek, Laura Strange, Willa Mae Koppenhaver, Anita Lorah.

—Mercury Staff Photo

Second row, Eileen Bridgeman, Marlene Lambert, Mary Ann Lessig, Terry Stranick, Betty Moletress, Nancy Wilhelm. Third row, Nancy McMann, Sue Stamm, Joan Seidel, Ann Gregory and Barbara Craig. Fourth row, Barbara Baldwin, Heather Davidheiser, Jean Daly, Eleanor Smola and Bernice Ondik.



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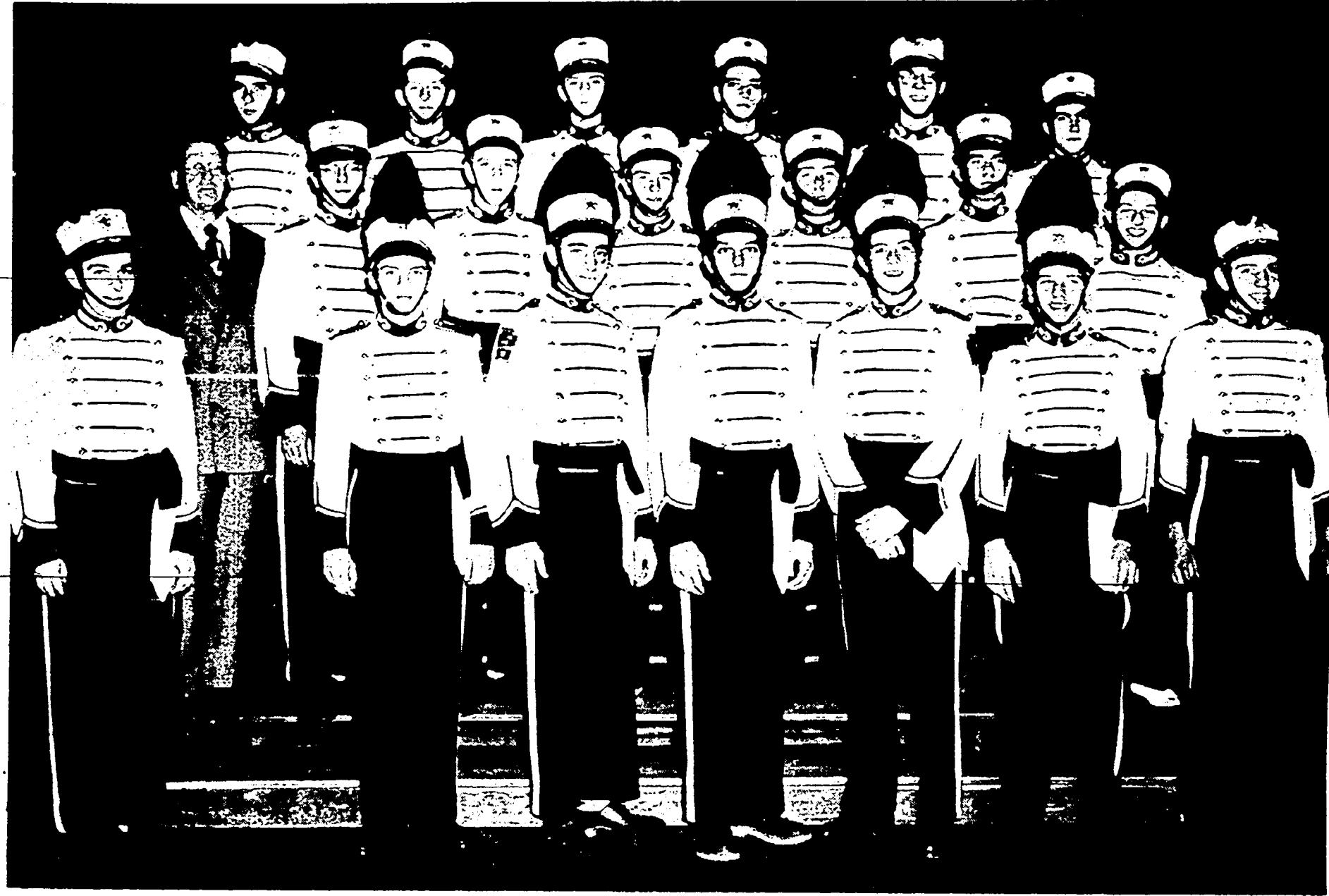
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**NEW DRILL TEAM**—This is the new Pottstown Senior High school drill team. The school didn't send a team the past two years, but for the four years previous to that the Senior Boys' team walked off with a second prize each year. The members are, front row, left to right, Robert Stahl, William Yohn, Wayne Hughes, Gordon Griffiths,

Larry Lesch, Kent Pinkerton and Robert Ziegler. Second row, Earl R. Strange, safety program director, Willis Bridgman, Joseph Bish, Fred Minter, Lawrence Lawler, Charles Gilliland, Leonard Levin. Third row, David Titelbaum, Harry Leopold, Robert Gray, Lloyd Hughes, William Detter and Richard Jamison.

—Mercury Staff Photo

### De Gaulle Announces Party's Dissolution

PARIS, May 6 (AP)—Gen. Charles De Gaulle today dissolved the leadership of his right wing Rally of The French People (RPF) and announced he will form a new political group based on a hard core of De Gaulleist militants and supporters.

De Gaulle, wartime leader of the Free French, forbade further use of his party's name in the National Assembly. His party suffered a "sharp setback in the recent municipal elections."

He indicated in a statement today that his new party would move closer to the left and think more about social problems.

De Gaulle stepped down as provisional leader of France in 1946, saying he was disgusted with party politics.

### Budget Cuts Studied By French Cabinet

PARIS, May 6 (AP)—The French Cabinet today studied sweeping governmental economies, including sharp cuts in its military spending.

Despite the set-backs being inflicted on French arms in the Kingdom of Laos, the Government was reported planning slashes of as much as 140 million dollars in the cost of the Indochina war.

Sources close to the Government estimate that savings in the military budget, aside from Indochina, will approximate 50 million dollars. These economies would be made possible by the decision of the North Atlantic council to stabilize the defense organization's armaments program.

### Red Trial Judge Blasts Delays of Defendants

PITTSBURGH, May 6 (AP)—US District Judge Rabb F. Marsh told attorneys for five Communist leaders on trial here today that he is getting "fed up" with their delays.

Judge Marsh made the statement after attorneys sought to have former party treasurer Benjamin L. Careathers excused because of illness. The jurist said he had seen nothing to prove Careathers' life would be jeopardized if he remained on trial.

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### New Chief Picked For Guard Division

HARRISBURG, May 6 (AP)—A new commanding officer has been selected for Pennsylvania's 25th (National Guard) division to be

reactivated by the end of the month.

However, his name won't be dis-

closed at present, according to Frank A. Weber, state adjutant general.

Weber said the new commander will be identified later.

"We will be pretty well along (with the reactivation) before June 1," Weber added. Actually, his announcement meant a slight delay in plans to revive the famous "Bloody Bucket Division."

Early the past month Weber an-

HARRISBURG, May 6 (AP)—John

Heck, Jr., 60, a bank night watchman, pleaded guilty to 13 counts of larceny at a preliminary hearing today in the theft of \$15,500 from a city bank.

Heck was returned to Dauphin county jail for the next term of the county criminal court on de-

fault of \$15,000 bail.

Watchman Pleads Guilty

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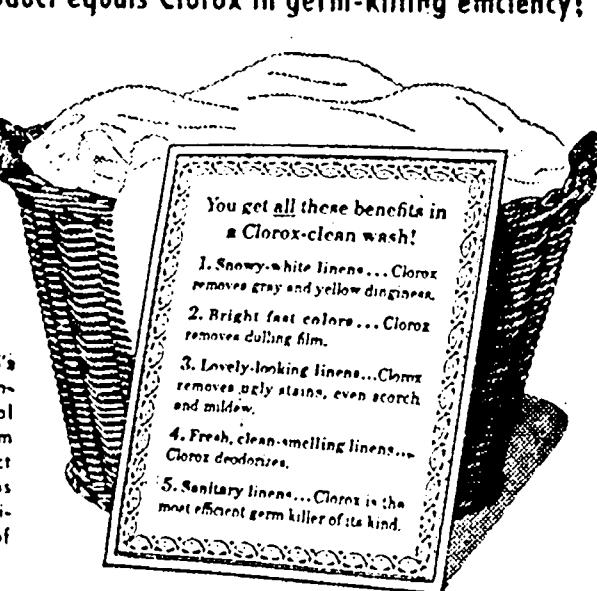
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## DRILL TEAMS —

(Continued From Page One)

mounts to probably more than 600 persons when chaperones and fans are included, boasts the greatest number of victories for its drill teams and bands than any other single area in recent years of competition.

The drill teams will compete Friday night against 20 other units in a 3000-seat armory.

On Saturday they will take part in a parade competition, in which more than 28,000 school children will march.

The holiday will come to an end Saturday night when the 14 buses wend their way back to Pottstown.

THESE ARE the drill teams and bands that will take part in the competition for Pottstown and the area:

Pottstown Senior High school band, directed by Lester Smith; the Pottstown Junior High school band, directed by William Schinstine.

Both bands walked off with first prizes the past year.

The Pottstown Senior High school girls' drill team, directed by Caroline Longacre. The unit has finished second in the competition for the past four years. Five years ago they came in first.

The Pottstown Senior High school boys' drill team, directed by Miss Longacre. No boys' team was sent the past two years, but for the four years before that the team walked off with second prizes.

The Pottstown Elementary boys' drill team, directed by Mrs. Ann Schwenk. Defending champions, the unit has won three "firsts" and three "seconds" in the past six years.

THE POTTSTOWN Elementary girls' drill team, directed by Mrs. Elizabeth Stephens. The unit took a second prize last year, and first prizes the two years before that.

The Boys' Junior High school drill team, directed by Mrs. Stephens. This team has amassed the amazing record of copping six straight first place prizes. They'll be out to make it seven tomorrow.

The Senior High school color guard, directed by Earl R. Strange, who also is in charge of the safety patrol program in Pottstown schools.

The Schwenksville Joint Consolidated High school drill team, directed by Mrs. Esther Clymer. Defending champions this year, the Schwenksville unit has taken first places for the past four years.

THE SCHEDULE for the two-day event will go like this:

Ten buses will leave the office of the Pottstown Automobile club headquarters on High street at 7 a. m.

Pottstown pupils will be picked up at their respective schools or at other special pick-up spots as outlined by the committee in charge.

One group will be picked up in the parking lot of the Security Trust building.

Horace Hughes, secretary-manager of the Pottstown Automobile club, is in charge of the project along with Earl R. Strange, and O. C. Reacraft.

Besides the ten buses reserved for local pupils, another four buses will be used to pick up children from 52 schools in the area.

THE FOUR buses will leave from Sci-Park High school, Schwenksville High school, Pottstown, and Lansdale.

The 10 buses will not travel in a caravan, Hughes said, since traveling will be easier if they split up.

More than 40 sponsors or "chaperones" will accompany the children on the trip.

After the buses reach Washington, D. C. tomorrow afternoon, a sight-seeing tour will be arranged.

"There is no set schedule for the pupils," Hughes said. He said they would take in the Smithsonian Institute, the Capitol, and any other building that they might want to see and that they will have time to see.

After an evening meal at two school cafeterias, the pupils will report to the Roosevelt hotel about 6 or 7 p. m. and there will take rooms already assigned to them.

THE 450 will leave the hotel under police escort and travel to the District of Columbia national armory, which seats more than 2000 people.

Here, the local drill teams and 29 other units from other parts of the country, will compete.

As an honor for having won first prizes in each class the past year, both the Pottstown Senior High school and Junior High school bands will furnish the music for the whole drill competition.

Besides the drill competition, about an hour's show will be put on by various entertainers, including a performance by Joe DiMaggio.

THE WINNERS of the drill competition will be announced that night, Earl Strange said last night.

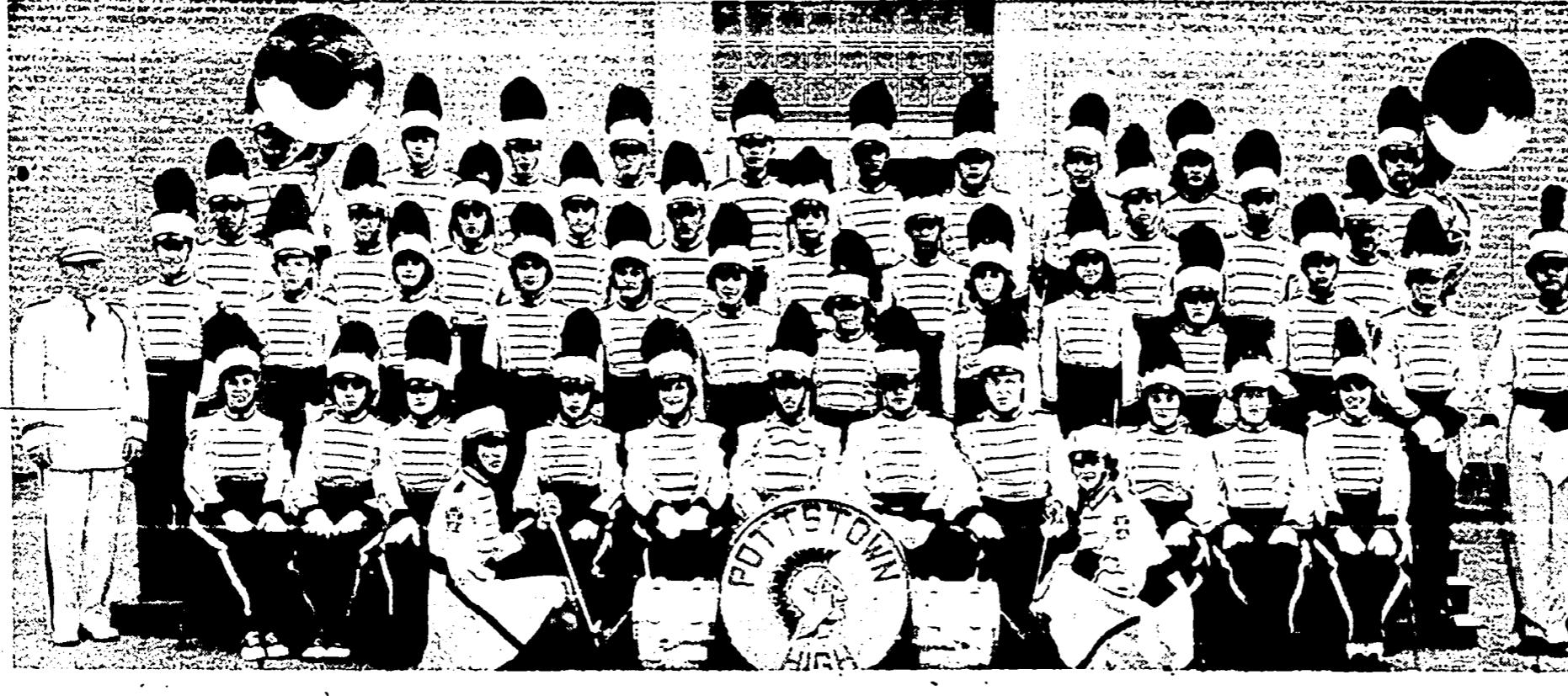
After the drilling, the pupils will be taken to cafeterias, where a group of more than 500 will be accommodated.

On Saturday morning, the parade, in which more than 28,000 safety patrol members are expected to take part, will start down scenic Constitution avenue.

THE POTTSTOWN delegation will "rest" (start marching from Madison avenue).

The local group is expected to start marching about 10 a. m.

Judges will be stationed along



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THIS IS THE SUZZLING Pottstown Senior High school band that has won first prize in its last five out of six appearances in the Washington competition. The band now holds a streak of four straight blue ribbons. The two girls kneeling in front are left to right, Arlene Miller and Sandra Stepp. The front row, left to right, Director Lester Smith, Dorothy Pollock, Pat Prince, Nancy Krieg, Evelyn Rapp, Betsy Shaw, George Yerger, Ray Danner, John Bechtel, Janet Hass, Pat High, Shirley Kulp and Bernice Shaw. Second row, left to right, William Mohn, Lowell Hurter, Carlene



THEY'LL LEAD OFF—The color guard that will lead the Pottstown Senior High school drill teams into action includes, after Earl R. Strange at left, director of the safety patrol program in Pottstown schools. Capt. Phyllis Groff, Sharon Moyer, Barbara

Montague, Norma Jean Renninger, Phyllis Hall, Joyce Houry, Sonia Cimbalista, Marcia Keller, Alice Kammerzell, June Weisner, Mary Ann Will, Shelly Mountain, Shirley Corbett, and Lester Smith, director of the Senior High school band.

the parade route and will judge each "unit" for its appearance. The "best appearance" prize has been given out for three years. Ethel McConnell, now and the Potstown unit has won two first prizes and one second. They were second the past year.

After the parade, and the winners have been announced, the pupils will check out of the hotel, and go on a sight-seeing tour, which will include Arlington cemetery, the National air port and other buildings.

The buses, which will leave Washington at different times, are expected to return to Pottstown about 10 p. m.

THE SPONSORS or "chaperones" for the trip include: Sgt. Mrs. Vida V. Moses, Harold Hahn, Spencer Lessig, Earl Rhodes, Frederick Bieler, E. Russell Matz, Jacob Wonderlich, Hor-

Strange, Carolyn Longacre, and Felix Radleigh, 32, is the president of the National Wheelchair Schools which will send along basketball association. He hails from Lyndhurst, N. J.

children in the Pottstown group in

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## Royersford - Spring City

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### Spring Flower Show Highlights May Meeting of Spirng City Library Club

A Spring Flower show high committee were in charge of arrangements for the flower show. Women's Library club, Spring City, in Tall Cedars temple Tues-day afternoon.

Specimens of tulips, lilacs, ari-can violets, tiny miniatures in containers only an inch wide and half an inch high, flowering fruits and shrubs were exhibited and made judging difficult.

Mrs. Agnes Rushton, Mal-verne, an artist, landscape gardener, teacher and interior decorator, judged the exhibits, after which she made several floral arrangements and discussed the technique of establishing a line to fit a container and then how to proceed with the arrangement.

The musical part of the program featured, Mrs. John Am-marell, vocalist, who sang "Wel-come to Spring" and "In My Gar-den. Mrs. Edward Willever was piano accompanist.

MRS. ARTHUR HODGE, program chairman, introduced the guest speaker.

Reports made during the business meeting included Mrs. A. J. Balch, treasurer; Mrs. Irvin Gar-ber, health and welfare; Mrs. Harry Kulp, drama; Mrs. Fred Walker, international relations.

Mrs. Earl Nelson, general chair-man, reported on the reciprocity luncheon to be held at the Spring-Ford Country club, Tuesday, June 2, at 12:30 o'clock and urged all members to attend.

Mrs. Harry Kulp will be in charge of the drama entertain-ment for the luncheon.

Mrs. Irvin Barber, health and welfare chairman, reported a free Chest X-ray in the community will be held Friday, May 22. She also reported 93 babies were brought to the baby clinic during the year and commended the community nurse for the fine work done in the Twin-Boroughs.

Mrs. Charles Ludwick, presi-dent, gave her yearly report to the club and thanked all the committees and members for their fine co-operation during the past club year.

Mrs. Ludwick welcomed mem-bers to the Laurel Garden club who participated in the flower show.

GUESTS PRESENT included Mrs. Harry Daub, Mrs. Joseph Buckwalter, Mrs. Russell Bennett, Royersford and Mrs. A. L. Brock-erman, Limerick.

Mrs. John Wilson, chairman of conservation and gardens, and her

#### Twin-Boro Classified

##### Deaths

DONNA—Sudden, on Monday, May 4, 1953, Michael A. Donna, husband of Molly (Chloe) Donna, aged 55 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the burial from the Nelson Funeral Home, 101 Main street, Royersford, on Thursday at 10:30 a. m. Visiting and prayers Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, continuing until 9 o'clock. Interment Fernwood cemetery.

##### Notice

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## Club to Hold Display FIRE AUXILIARY Of Summer Fashions GIVES \$500 TO IN School Auditorium AREA FIREMEN

Chesmont Business and Profes-sional Women's club will sponsor a Summer Fashion show, to be presented by an Allentown department store in Spring City High school auditorium Monday night at 8 o'clock.

Decorations will be in keeping with Spring flowers, and will provide a colorful background for models and fashions.

The fashion show will emphasize new cottons for every occasion and will include bathing suit and evening dresses and a collection of Paris imports.

Commentator for the fashions will be Gloria Davies, of the fashion staff of the Allentown store.

The decorating committee in-cludes Mrs. Robert Carns, Ann Michener, Betty Emrey, Mrs. Dorothy Patrick, Mrs. Ruth Gable, Evelyn Miller and all committee chairmen and members who are available to help Monday afternoon.

Members of the finance commit-tee are Evelyn Miller, chairman; Betty Emrey, Mrs. Olivia Rapp, Thelma Bauer, Mrs. Sara Royers, Marian Vogenitz, Mrs. Dorothy Patrick, Elizabeth Wells and Mrs. Walker, honorable mention.

Division II—House Plants—Afri-can Violets — single specimen grown by exhibitor—Mrs. Russell Buckwalter, first; Mrs. Robert

Hunter, second; Mrs. Elizabeth Rosen, third; Mrs. William Ober-lander, honorable mention; Mrs. Edward Willever, honorable men-tion.

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Discharged: Mrs. Wilmer Beard and son, Spring City RD 1; John Gordon Tuttle and daughter, Phoe-nixville; Mrs. Louis Loucks, Phoe-nixville; Mrs. Harry Garyga, Phoe-nixville; Mrs. Joseph Shane, Mon-t Clare; Mrs. Gerald Carney and daughter, Phoenixville; Andrew Shyshak, Phoenixville; Norman Shaner, Royersford; Mrs. Joseph Bower, Phoenixville; George Town-send, Phoenixville; Mrs. Oliver Stark, Royersford.

Admitted and discharged: Frank Grantietro, Phoenixville.

Birth: To Mrs. Raymond Davis, Phoenixville, a boy.

## Fog Delays Soldier On Plane Trip Home

A Royersford soldier, enroute home from Ft. Hood, Tex., was aboard a plane which was forced to land at Hartford, Conn., instead of its destination, Philadelphia, Tuesday morning.

Pet. Frederick Charles Donohue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred K. Dono-hue, 318 Summer street, arrived home unexpectedly Tuesday night. He was accompanied by Pet. Robert Griffiths, Philadelphia.

Due to land at Philadelphia

Tuesday at 7:30 a. m., the plane was ordered to try New

York instead, because of a heavy ceiling of fog. In New York they were confronted by the same conditions and were told to try Hartford, Conn.

After alighting at Hartford, the group of soldiers on leave was taken to New York on a special bus with police escort. From New York, Donohue came by rail to Royersford and surprised his par-ents. Not knowing their son was due home on the plane, they were spared some anxious moments.

## Taxpayers League Slates Humane Firehall Meeting

Women's Missionary society of Parkerford Baptist church will meet tonight at 8 o'clock. The program, in charge of Mrs. Howard Bechtel, will include a sound film in color, "The Rivers Still Flow."

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ROYERSFORD—Taxpayers league, which met a week ago to discuss the matter of assessments, will meet again tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Humane firehall, Third avenue and Walnut street.

At the past meeting the group discussed the cost of bringing the matter before the court. Purpose of the meeting tonight is for a discussion on the advisability of retain-ing an attorney.

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hosler, 21 South Sixth street, Stroudsburg, announced the birth of a son, born Tuesday. The mother formerly was Evelyn Emswiler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. Emswiler, Gay street, Royersford.

ODD FELLOWS WILL MEET

Vincent Lodge 762 Independent Order of Odd Fellows will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows temple, Spring City.

## NBC Correspondent To Leave Argentina

NEW YORK, May 6.—The Na-tional Broadcasting company said today that its Buenos Aires cor-respondent, George Natanson, had been refused an extension of his visa and consequently must leave Argentina tomorrow.

NBC said that because of strict censorship it had few details of the reason for the refusal. The Peron government, however, re-cently launched a campaign against American news reporting from Argentina.

The three major wire services have been under attack for their accounts of anti-Peron bombings and unrest.

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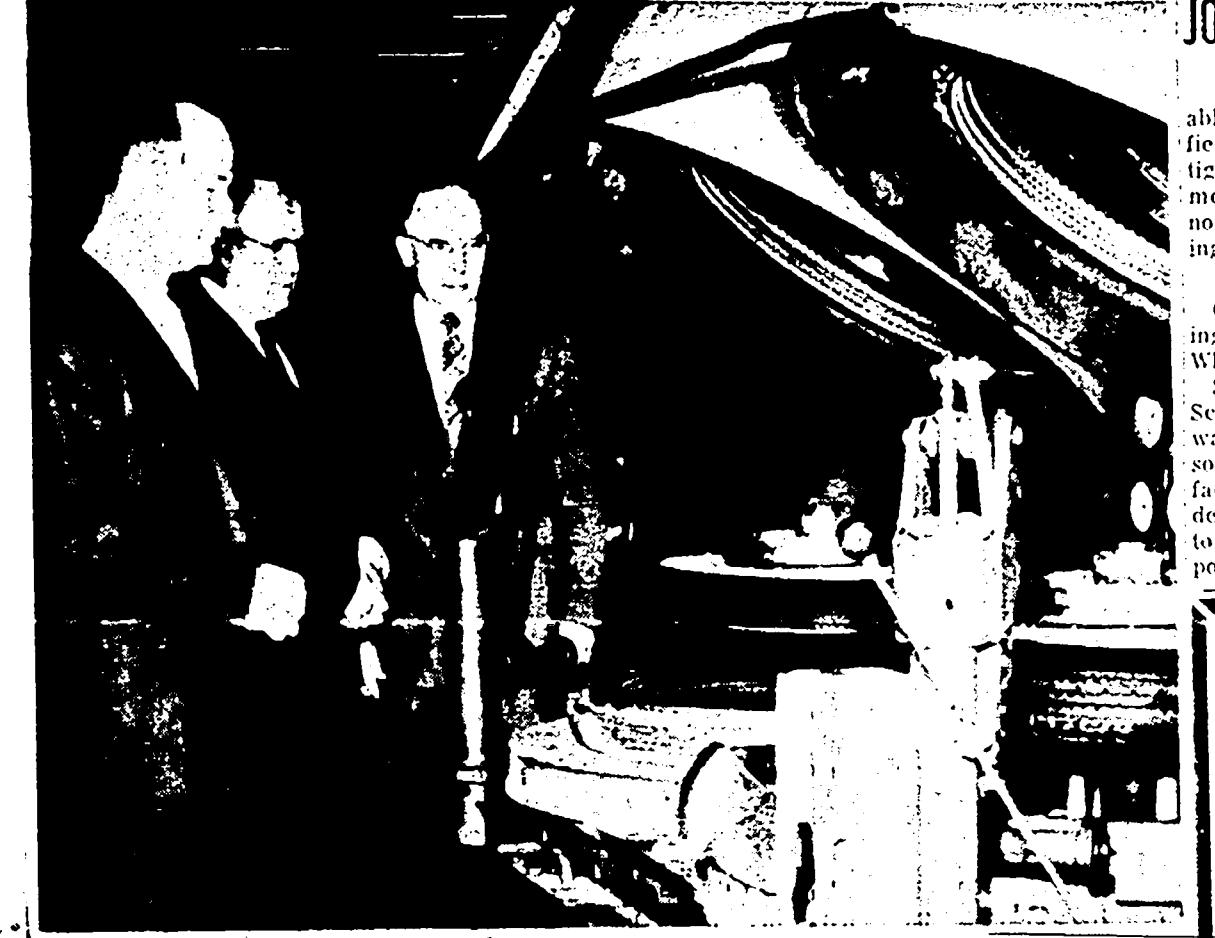
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VISIT LOCAL PLANT—Three touring executives of the Firestone Tire and Rubber company pause to watch a "bag-o-matic" tire curing machine during a visit to the local plant yesterday. The men shown are (left to right) H. H. McAllister, production manager of the company's plant in Argentina; E. L. Hincline, traveling industrial engineer for the company; and G. A. Carlisle, former manager of the Firestone plant in Argentina. They will remain in Pottstown today for further observation of production processes and plant layout before visiting other plants of the company. They came here from company headquarters in Akron, Ohio.

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## Colebrookdale Talks On New Road Plans At Meeting of Board

The possibility of laying a new road in the vicinity of Colebrookdale was discussed last night by the road supervisors in that area.

According to Henry Wersler, secretary, the proposal calls for the construction of black-top road, stretching from the Earl township line to Route 613 and continuing across to Route 613 until it meets the former construction on Route 613.

The supervisors tabled a request by one of the local contractors to have a new street opened in his development.

Chairman John Hartman presided. The meeting was held in the Colebrookdale building. Others attending were: George Bechtel and William Shane.

## MAY'S LOOK —

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noted a 17 inch precipitation.

This was the third measurable rain Pottstown has had so far this month. On May 1 there was a .51 inch fall, recorded and the past Tuesday morning another .15 was chalked up.

But why kick? Even though there has been some semblance of rain practically every day this month, during the first seven days of April there had been an inch and one-quarter rainfall in the area.

Today, the sun will again play peek-a-boo among the clouds. For the weatherman predicts partly cloudy skies with rather warm temperatures today and tomorrow.

## WIN AIRFLIGHT —

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mate 1:15 o'clock and after an hour will depart for New York.

The Piper will settle down on LaGuardia field at 3:15 o'clock after getting a circling air view of Manhattan. After a quick run into New York Basco will warm his engine for the return to Pottstown at 7 p. m. About an hour later the plane will wing down onto Municipal airport.

Flying will be a new experience for Miss Axsmith and Strzelecki, but for Miss Rosenberg it will be just another flight. She has made numerous trips by air during her teaching career.

PUPILS WERE selected for "general good citizenship including athletic ability" to go on the trip.

Strzelecki, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Strzelecki, is a three letter winner in football and basketball at West Pottsgrove.

Miss Axsmith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Axsmith, excelled in hockey and basketball during her high school career.

Basco has mapped out the trip in advance.

The last pupils to make the junket were Clarence Bartman and Isabelle Fazekas in the Spring of 1950.

## Board Erases New Charges

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upward and pursing his lips. A second or two later, he said, "You asked me if she was hit, and I said, no, she wasn't hit."

The boy added that the little girl had been scolded and put in the back of the room, but he repeated emphatically that she wasn't hit.

AFTER REITMEYER and his wife had left the school, Reitmeyer said his daughter had seemed to be fond of school until the past week, when she began reporting she had been scolded repeatedly.

Then his daughter began disliking school, Reitmeyer said, and

## POSTMASTERS —

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ing conventioners with a concert at the hotel.

Serious business of the convention will not start until Tuesday, when the regular sessions get under way with Wilbur Warner, dressing. Commissioners pointed out it would be waste of money to construct streets without curbing.

MARQUET SAID that guest speakers for the conclave are not yet definitely decided upon, but that they will probably include congressmen and the chief inspector of the postal service, D. H. Stevens, Washington, D. C.

Not all the convention members will be men, Marquet explained. "About half the post offices in the state are headed by women," he said. "Especially the smaller ones."

The postmistresses will probably be accompanied by their husbands, he added, and postmasters may bring their wives.

As many as 30 of the postal supervisors may "air mail" themselves to the convention in their own private planes, the local postmaster remarked, especially those from the western part of the State.

COMPANY APPOINTS FOUR PITTSBURGH, May 6 (UPI)—Westinghouse Electric corporation appointed four men today to key positions in its newly-formed atomic equipment department.

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## JOB MARKET —

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able to fill all positions. In other fields the situation is somewhat tight. In the long run, however, members of the class of 1953 should not find much difficulty in landing a job.

ONE OF THE QUESTIONS facing many of the male Seniors is: "What about the draft?"

Stanley L. Davenport Jr., High CRESSMAN STATED that the School principal, explained it this last year there were not enough boys released from high school to fill vacancies in industry and lower. "This is because the pie-nearly 35 percent already have

expected to leave school in June, explained.

ALL IN ALL, VonDrach said, that commercial pupils moving into the field can look forward to a little more money than their predecessors. For example, 10 years ago a stenographer earned about \$25 a week. This year they may receive anywhere from \$30 to \$50, depending on the job. Twenty years ago the wage scale was set at about \$15.

Out of the graduating class of 1953, it was noted that approximately 30 will go on to schools and some of our Seniors recognize the to fill vacancies in industry and lower. "This is because the pie-nearly 35 percent already have

which Seniors receive while still in school. "We do not try to fit them into anything specific, she daily on reports. By tomorrow our college and another is again ex-point them in the right direction."

Working in co-operation with school officials is the local State Employment Bureau, managed by Mrs. Margaret H. King. Mrs. King indicated last night that job prospects are very good in practically all lines of work."

She said the bureau has established a counseling service to pick up where school authorities leave off. According to the director, a counselor and employer's representative work hand in hand to place the former pupils.

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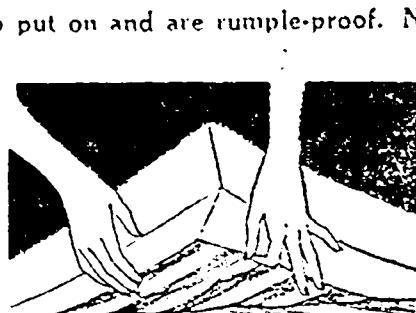
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